

**SHORT TALKS BY
L. T. COOPER.**

LIVER TROUBLE.

A dull, sluggish liver always brings a dull, sluggish feeling to the entire body. When the liver works properly the blood courses through the body in a bright red stream. When the liver is inactive the blood becomes dull and muddy, and it is full of poisonous matter.

A great many people try to get a fine, clear, pink and white complexion by rubbing things on their faces. They might rub a life time

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TWO HAD NARROW ESCAPE

Father and Child Nearly Trampled by Runaway Team, and the Latter Receives a Bad Cut.

In moving household goods from the brick residence at 316 North Third street, Frank Konopacki and his three year old daughter had a narrow escape from being trampled to death under the feet of two runaway horses, at 4 o'clock last Wednesday afternoon. A stove and several other articles had been loaded into the wagon, when the horses started off suddenly, throwing the driver, who held the little girl in his arms, from the seat over the dashboard. After going for a short distance, the horses collided with a telephone post and their hasty advance was checked. Mr. Konopacki scrambled from under the horses feet, but had no little trouble in rescuing the child, who was terribly frightened. The little one was badly cut over the right eye, some sharp object or the point of the seat having struck her a hair's breadth from the pupil, and a gash an inch in length was torn at right angles with the eyebrow. Owing to the hysterical fright in which the child remained for some time afterward, the attending physician, Dr. D. S. Rice, had difficulty in dressing the wound.

Sent Toward the East.

Officer Hafsaas found a stranger on the street the other evening, and guided him toward the lockup. The fellow happened to be in an independent mood, however, and by laying down on the walk, yelling like a famished hyena, he refused to even roll. The hurry-up wagon was summoned and he was given a night's lodging. The man was found without the "filthy lucre" with which to pay his fine the next morning, and being sober and repentant, he was given another ride in the hasty ambulance and left in the temperance part of the country, on the banks of the Plover river. Disregarding Horace Greeley's advice, he went eastward afoot.

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THE LARGEST IN PORTAGE COUNTY

More Locals.

The Misses Louise and Rachel Thiele, of Amherst, came up on the early train Saturday and spent the day in the city. A new Hallwood Leader cash register, the only one of its kind in the city, has been secured by Margrall & Johnson.

Jos. Glinski, the tailor, is now prepared to make you a suit or overcoat. Prices the lowest and a fit is guaranteed.

The school census will be taken this year by P. J. Blood, clerk of the board of education, who will be assisted by Mrs. Blood.

Miss Lillian King, of Merrill, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Gross, to remain for the remainder of the week.

Miss Margaret Prausa returned to her home at Milladore, Sunday morning, after a visit of a couple of days among her many friends in this city.

Mrs. O. A. Neumann and son, Ray, attended the funeral of her niece, Mrs. George Overton, at Oshkosh, Friday. Mrs. Overton died the Tuesday before of paralysis of the heart.

Miss Lizzie Van Hecke returned last Thursday morning from a two months' visit with her parents at Sioux Falls, S. Dak., and among friends in Iowa. She had a delightful time.

W. B. Baker went up to Bayfield, last Thursday morning, to look after the readjusting of some saw mill machinery in the interests of the D. J. Murray Mfg. Co., of Wausau.

A. J. Cheasick left for Appleton, last Thursday afternoon, to attend the annual convention of commercial travelers, being the representative from the local branch of that organization.

Mrs. C. U. Conlisk, who had been spending the past week with friends and relatives at Fond du Lac, was numbered among the guests at a party given there last Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Kate Clements attended commencement exercises at the Columbia College of Music in Chicago the past week. Her niece, Miss Catherine Clements, was among the full course graduates.

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Miss Eliza Lamoreux, of Ashland, instructor of music and technique at Grafton Hall, Fond du Lac, visited with her cousin, Miss Nellie Lamoreux, in this city during the past week. She has gone to Ashland to spend the summer with her parents.

Dr. E. M. Rogers attended the sessions of the Wisconsin Grand Lodge of Masons, in Milwaukee, last week. Dr. Price W. Rood, son of Dr. G. Rood of this city, exemplified the ritualistic degree work with a team of his lodge of which he is master.

Jos. Netzley, of Sharon, was a visitor to the city, last Wednesday afternoon, and like other farmers throughout the state, while not feeling pleasantly over the weather in the past, was not discouraged, believing that the season will yet be long enough to produce a good crop.

The remains of Capt. Chas. C. Dow, former mail clerk on the Portage branch of the Central, who died at Everett, Wash., May 26th, arrived at Portage last Thursday morning and the funeral took place that afternoon. Capt. Dow's wife and son accompanied the body from the west.

A reunion of the 14th Wisconsin Infantry, held at Weyauwega the past week, was attended by William Barker and William Worden, of this city, and John Beach and John McGown, of Plover. The names mentioned are those of men who served in Co. B and they are among 60 of those who met at the reunion.

Miss Anna E. Schaeffer, inspector of day schools for the deaf in Wisconsin, is soon to give up her position and become the wife of James W. Critton of Madison. The marriage will take place early in July. Miss Schaeffer is quite well known in this city, having visited here frequently in connection with school work.

John W. Strope spent a couple of days at Rhinelander, where on Sunday he attended the funeral of his brother-in-law, David J. Cole, a member of the firm of Spafford & Cole, a leading business firm of Rhinelander. Mr. Cole was about 60 years of age and passed away after continued ill health of several months.

Rev. A. G. E. Jenner arrived Wednesday evening from Providence, R. I., and Mrs. Jenner from Grafton hall, Fond du Lac, and have been spending the past few days as guests at the McDill and R. A. Cook homes. Rev. Jenner conducted services in the local Episcopal church, Sunday, when he was welcomed by his former parishioners.

Miss Agnes Boyington, one of Hurley's most successful teachers, has concluded to take a change and a rest from the nerve-racking profession for a year and has resigned her position in the home schools. Miss Boyington will go to Stevens Point in August to make her home with an aunt for a year and to attend the State Normal school in that city.—Hurley Miner.

N. A. Week spent Thursday and a part of Friday last at Wausau, and on his return trip witnessed a car of pulp wood burn on the track at Junction City. After the fire was discovered, the car was run to the water tank, hoping to quench the blaze, but this was unsuccessful, and the tank was also damaged by fire. Not only the wood, but the car as well, was destroyed.

Out at Wilson Creek, Wash., a new paper was started a couple of weeks ago, and in its opening announcement gave the reason for its existence that the Big Bend Chief, A. A. McIntyre's paper, was about to be removed from the city. The latter, however, denies the truth of this statement, and says that when it wishes to discontinue publication it will so state in its own columns.

Henry A. Venne, of Tomahawk, spent last Thursday in the city, being on his way home from Menasha, where he was a delegate to the C. O. F. state convention. Mr. Venne is bookkeeper for the U. S. Leather Co., who have a large tannery at Tomahawk, employing from 100 to 150 men throughout the year. While here he was the guest of his son-in-law, Mrs. Mary Krems, on Normal avenue.

THEY ARE NOW ALUMNI

Commencement of Last Week Adds Twenty-Two Young People to the Many High School Graduates.

The twenty-two graduates of the Stevens Point High school for 1907 commemorated their commencement in participating in the usual pleasant events, the class day exercises, which were held Wednesday evening, and the more formal yet always welcome program given at the Opera House, Thursday evening. Both were largely attended by parents, relatives and friends.

Over 600 people taxed the capacity of the High school as emblem room at an early hour. Wednesday evening, when the class day program, so delightful to both the Senior and Junior classes, as well as to the two lower classes, was rendered. The program was opened by the High school orchestra, which at its first appearance earlier in the year, created a fine impression. Harry Young, president of the twenty-seventh class, which has successfully completed the assigned four year course, gave the opening address, during which he expressed many sane thoughts to his classmates concerning the final realization of their patient endeavor during the four years in school. Florence Stielor recounted the class history, telling of what problems the class had to contend with during their successive years of High school life, how each member had distinguished him or herself by some individual trait. The more evident traits of the class in general, and likewise the individual accomplishments of the members, were lauded with no small degree of pride. The history was written up in a manner that was commendable. Incidentally the school faculty were criticized or complimented as their past thoughtlessness or thoughtfulness demanded. The High school chorus of about thirty voices sang a pleasing selection, which was followed by the rendering of the class poem by Gertrude Holman. This was an original effort and was the evidence of unusual ability on the part of the writer. It also treated the Seniors in general and their work. The boys' chorus of fifteen voices contributed a musical number and was followed with the "Charge to the Juniors" by Mamie Dobeck, whose remarks were met with equal class pride by Carl Katerndahl, to whom was assigned the "Response to the Charge." Miss Dobeck advised the under class members to emulate the good qualities for which the members of her class were especially noted. Those who were lacking in any of the virtues were supplied with such very generously by their representative. In the response, Mr. Katerndahl showed very convincingly that the moral assets of the Juniors was in a slight degree greater than that of the graduates. He thanked the Senior speaker in behalf of his class very gallantly and promised they would do as bidden. This portion of the exercises is always a special feature, and the treatment accorded it by the two speakers mentioned served to increase the usual interest.

After two piano selections by Julia Dumas, both rendered in a way worthy of much praise, followed the class will, Mildred Horn being the speaker. That young lady showed considerable tact and originality in the preparation of what she contributed. The special ability of the several Seniors and even their inability were left as legacy to the Juniors.

Nellie Reading, with characteristic cleverness gave the "Class Memeticoes" to her associates. Each Senior received some small gift, which was directly or indirectly suggestive of some personal individuality. The presentation was the cause of much laughter. "Voice of the Western Wind" was sung with their usual success by the girls' chorus, when the "Class Prophecy" was given by Merle Cartmill. The speaker was garbed in the college cap and gown and in her prophecy of future greatness each member might achieve, she created a fine impression. With the aid of a vivid imagination the speaker provoked much pleasure in the humorous depiction of what or where the Seniors would be several years hence. The High school quartette, the personnel of which is Harry Young, Merle Young, Alice Roseow and R. B. Woodward, were received with long continued applause for their rendition of "Love's Old Sweet Song." Much individual ability and careful training proved to be well developed. The class farewell and final adieu was taken from the teachers, pupils and all interested in the school in behalf of the Seniors by Florence Kingsbury, who took only an optimistic view of the future in every respect. The program was closed by the boys' chorus, who sang "Rocked in the Cradle of the Deep."

The main room was prettily decorated for the occasion with the class colors of green and white, streamers and bunting being used in many ways to good advantage and with pleasing effects. The rostrum was well filled with potted plants and the general surroundings indicated that the Juniors had spared no pains in making that feature of the preparation a source of pleasure to the Seniors.

COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

Though the greater part of the several hundred people present at the graduating exercises, Thursday evening, at the Opera House, had attended many similar events, it was evident that their enthusiasm and delight was increased only by their anticipation.

The rise of the curtain disclosed the usual pretty scene that never fails to call forth a delightful demonstration. The fourteen "sweet girl" graduates in beautiful white gowns, contrasted with the dignified presence of the young men in black suits and the wealth of coloring furnished by the magnificent bouquets of roses, together with the decorations on and about the stage in green and white and potted plants, furnishing a scene that is always a source of much pleasure to behold. The seniors were seated in a semi-circle. Places on the stage were occupied by Supt. J. N. Davis, Rev. James Blake and E. W. Sellers, treasurer of the board of education. The invocation was uttered by Rev. Blake. The opening number of the evening's program were two selections by the High school girls' chorus, both of which were met with hearty applause. The first member of the graduating class to appear on the program was Ella Langenberg, who gave a dramatic reading, "The Winning of Katherine," and the salutatory address. In interpreting the diffi-

cult selection of the thought and sentiments in her selection, Miss Langenberg merited the praise of the most critical. The theme was a recital of how a brave soldier won the love of a noble lady. As demonstrated on previous occasions, Miss Langenberg has marked dramatic talent that is assurance for much future promise. Her general treatment of the piece in gesture and expression was perfect.

A feature of the many musical selections with which the program was so thoughtfully interspersed, was "Little Cotton Dolly," a quaint Negro melody and lullaby. Each one of the young people who took part deserve individual praise. Suffice it to say here, however, that everyone voiced the general opinion that it was "just splendid." Cicely Dineen appeared next and recited an essay on "Hull House," the place of the original effort at the broader view of life, for which several women were responsible, and who established many great ideas after indefatigable and persistent labor. Miss Dineen showed a comprehensive view of the subject, and in the general treatment disclosed an unusual amount of research and careful preparation.

A piano solo, a selection from Verdi's "Il Trovatore," by Mamie Clifford, one of the graduates, elicited countless complimentary remarks. Miss Clifford, who is a student of Miss Helen Hein of this city, showed remarkable ability. Her technique was excellent, and from her interpretation of the classical selection, it was evident to all that she possessed a proper appreciation for the effort of the gifted composer.

In his discussion of the "Early History of Stevens Point," Wayne Bentley was rewarded with the keen interest of his audience. The hardships of the early pioneers who hewed a promising city from a dense pine forest, were recited with a certain degree of pride and admiration that asserted itself in the lines of the essay. The talk embodied much that is lacking in reference libraries, fact that added interest to the subject. Mr. Bentley, who possesses an agreeable form of expression, used good judgment in his word structure and made a fine impression.

After a musical selection, "Who is Sylvia," from Schubert, rendered by the High school girls' semi-chorus, Clay Curran delivered an interesting address on "Some Causes and Results of the Civil War," during the course of which he recounted in a marked patriotic spirit the early efforts at reconciliation by the North and South and told how the Civil conflict finally proved inevitable. In his resume of the historical facts, the speaker presented the personality of the great statesmen of the critical period, notably that of Daniel Webster, whom he quoted at some length. Accounting for the causes, Mr. Curran dwelt with equal length upon the results of the war. In the latter portion, he devoted some time to great public questions of the present day.

A musical number that was the cause of delightful surprise on the part of the audience was the extraordinary ability demonstrated by the rendition of "Concert Valse," from the composing of Schubert, by Irma Schulhof, of Abbotsford, a pupil of Miss Katherine A. Rood of this city. The interpretation was in itself a feature, yet added to this was the true dramatic treatment that generally reveals the real musical artist. There was a marked finish to her work that bespoke much for the teacher as well as the pupil and in whose rendition there was nothing lacking. As an encore, to which Miss Schulhof responded, she rendered a reverie that was both pleasing and delightful and in which her ability was well set forth.

Mary Van Hecke created a fine impression with a description of the writings of the author, Kate Douglas Wiggin, who has made herself famous with her treatment of child life, especially in pathos. Miss Van Hecke recited "Patsy," one of the best works of the author, and in doing so the young lady won the admiration of all her hearers. She was obliged to portray two characters, each of great contrast to the other, but she did this task without the slightest indication of its being difficult. She was at her best in portraying the part of the leading character. Humor and pathos were treated with equal and remarkable skill.

Clarence Coye, a youthful violinist with an apparent future, accredited himself beyond the vaguest expectations at his first public appearance. He plays his instrument with rapt attention and brought forth real music that was pleasing, a task not always accomplished by young students on the sweetest, but most difficult of instruments. The accompaniment was on the piano by Nina Coye. The final essay, "Some Aims of Emerson High School," and the valedictory address, were then presented by Edna Gee. In her discussion, Miss Gee told how the local school keeps up with all the progressive ideas of a High school education and what attention is given to the work in order to keep the standard of scholarship and moral influence at its highest. The young lady accounted for the introduction of manual training and domestic science into the regular work and also dwelt for some time on the school life incidental to the regular requirements, that is the literary work and athletics. All the thoughts expressed were original and were well told. In the valedictory were voiced the usual expressions of regret at leaving school and an appreciation for work accomplished.

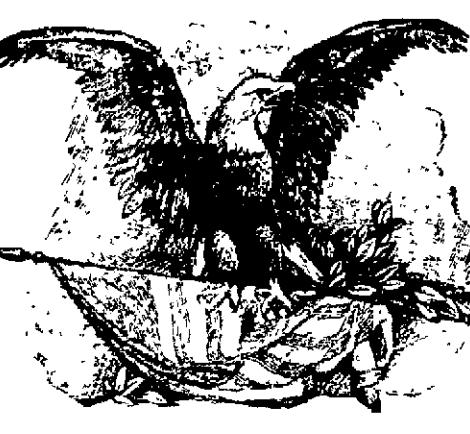
The High school boys glee club rendered "Out on the Deep" with becoming ability, after which Supt. Davis spoke briefly, thanking the audience for the interest manifested in the work of the city schools and stated that the object of education was to develop the hand to be as proficient as the brain dictates it should be. E. W. Sellers was introduced and before presenting the diplomas gave a pleasing address, in which was embodied much valuable advice to the outgoing Seniors, closing with the words, "I bid you God speed in the new career upon which you are entering. Make the very best of life. Devote yourselves to some great work. Choose your calling, find your angle and work up to it, and whatever your life work shall be, do not forget the rudimentary instructions of your common school life, where were implanted the ennobling principles of manhood and ennobling womanhood."

As their names were called, each senior advanced and received their diplomas, each realizing as they retraced their steps that on the sea of active life they were "launched, but whether bound—

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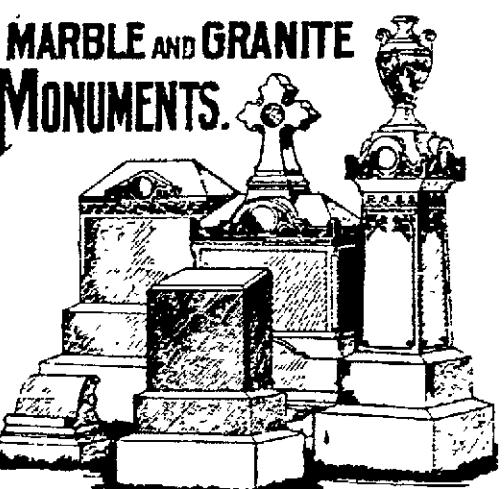
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Right Handed and Left Legged.

Most people would think that as man is, with very few exceptions, "right handed" he would be at the same time "right legged." But this is not the case. Almost every right handed man uses his left leg more than his right. For instance, most people find it much more natural to go around circles to the right than to the left. That is because they start with the left leg. Being stronger, it is more readily brought into action, and it is on this account that bodies of soldiers always start to march with the left foot. Almost all courses for foot races are made out for running to the right, and dancers will endorse the statement that the majority of movements are far more easily executed in that direction. The left foot is the one that is placed in the stirrup for mounting a horse, and in jumping it is from the left foot that the athlete "takes off." Thus it will be seen, as a general rule, "right handed" people are "left legged."

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Two million pounds, or about 900,000 yards of twine has been used in the postal service during the present fiscal year.

Irrigation and Forestry.

The exposition of irrigated lands' products and forest products which will be held at Sacramento, California, in September, will no doubt be a great event. The management announces a magnificent list of handsome and valuable trophies, comprising no less than sixteen handsome gold and silver loving cups especially designed and manufactured for the occasion and offered for interstate competition by prominent men and business houses of California and other states.

Enthusiasm for this event is already being felt, especially throughout the irrigated area. Irrigation districts are preparing to send their best in order to capture some of these handsome prizes. Farmers on irrigated land are already preparing to forward prize fruits and grains and vegetables.

Interest already manifested throughout the irrigated area indicates that this will be the finest exhibition of the products of irrigated lands ever made in this country, and Californians are preparing to celebrate the occasion with a magnificent allegorical irrigation parade, which, if carried out along the lines now contemplated, will be the finest pageant ever witnessed in the west.

Marriage Licenses.

Bernard Man to Lydia Strobusch, both of Carson. Carl Hasse to Anna Hedsko, both of Stevens Point. Dr. Martin H. Marken, Rosenthal, to Natalie C. Belanger, Stevens Point. V. Wenzelski to Nancy Weetszowski, both of Plover. Fred B. Fox to Edna Parks, both of Plover. Walter Verrell to Fern Johnson, both of Stevens Point.

Change in Time of Way Freight.

North bound way freight, carrying passengers from Stevens Point to Juneau City, will hereafter leave Stevens Point at 5:45 instead of 6:45. This schedule is now in effect. w2

THE EXPIATORY DEAD.

Inexplicable Fate of the Enemies of Dreyfus Revision.

"Always the dead!" Reinach cried bitterly. "Whenever we find a forger, a crime, always it is set to the account of a dead man."

And he drew up a list, horrible in its eloquence, of the dead who strewed the dark path of this monstrous case of crime and cruelty and infamy. Yet there had fallen so many of the enemies of truth and justice that he might have called them the expiatory dead.

Three I have told you of—that poor wretch Lemercier-Picard, "found dead" in his room in the Rue de Sevres; Henri, "found dead," with a closed razor near by; Felix Faure, "found dead" and snuggled into his palace.

There were many others. Captain d'Attel, who claimed to have heard Dreyfus avow his guilt to Lebrun-Renault the day of his degradation, was "found dead" in a railway train, his corpse blue and already on the way to decomposition, though his journey had lasted but an hour. This pretended confession, which Dreyfus never made, d'Attel confided to his friend, Chauvin-Serviniere, a member of the chamber of deputies. Now, the deputy took train one day to visit his home. An hour later he was "found dead" on the railway tracks between two stations. And Rocher of the prison guards, who also claimed to have heard Dreyfus say, "I am guilty, but I am not the only one," died, and to this day no one knows where or how. It was as though eternal truth had reached down and slain this lie wherever it lifted its evil head.

The prefect Barreme was summoned to Paris by his government chief. He was "found dead" in his compartment when the train arrived at the Gare St. Lazare. Laurenceau, prefect of the north, was called to Paris to give evidence regarding the spy system on the German frontier. There was no accident on the journey. The next day he was "found dead" in his room at the Hotel Terminus.

Lorimer, one of Henri's most tiresome agents of forgery and crime, was "found dead," hanged in a lonely barn; another, Grimaud, was "found dead" on the door of his room in Paris. Then there was Munier. His part in the conspiracy had been to satisfy the meaning of a cryptogram sent by Pinguet to the Italian government, so that it affirmed the guilt of Dreyfus. And Munier was "found dead" in a railway train. Who can wonder the martyr friends tried to see in those mysterious and portentous deaths the work of an "evil spirit?" With grim faces, Miss R. and Miss S. denoted la fatalité to the poor, forsaken, the very stars in the firmament of success against the Dr. V. in the paper in Success Magazine.

A Plea For the Poor.

Men who fill unprofitable positions, exacting severe mental toll, are almost sure to be short lived. Persons whose calling subject them to a heavy nervous strain ought occasionally to spend a day or two in bed. Even an afternoon nap is a tonic and may do much to lessen the wear and tear of nervous, anxious days. One of the ablest statesmen of modern times, when once reproached in early life for indolence, reported, "I am storing energy." William Mathews in Success Magazine.

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CITY GOVERNMENT.

Official Synopsis of Proceedings of the Common Council.

Regular meeting of the common council, city of Stevens Point, held in the city offices, June 4, 1897, with Mayor Hanna presiding and all members present.

The meetings of the two previous meetings were read and approved.

A petition asking that Wisconsin avenue, where it crosses the Wisconsin Central railroad be opened up and put in condition for travel, was read and voted upon.

Aid Patterson introduced a resolution directing and ordering the board of public works to proceed with the work of improving the public square and North and South Second street in accordance with plans and specifications. This resolution was adopted by a unanimous vote.

The report of the financial committee upon the street names franchise was read and referred for further reference.

The report of the board of public works upon the St. Louis avenue improvement stating that they had viewed the premises and determined the questions required and had been in session on the 5th of May to listen to objections and that no objections had been received, was accepted and adopted.

The special committee reported recommending that the street, from the Green Bay track west to the river, be opened up to full width, with sandstone cleared away and the street covered with a suitable macadam and the police be instructed to keep the street clear from cars and other obstructions, and that the water front be kept clear at all times. Upon motion this report was accepted and approved of by the board of public works, and instructed to grade Main street as outlined in the above report down to the low water mark and to properly macadamize the same.

The annual report of the city treasurer showing a balance of cash on hand on June 1 of \$8,550.05 was referred to the finance committee for investigation.

Humphrey & Cornelius, attorneys for Toefel Kupfer, filed a notice for damages for broken wagon which occurred on Central avenue near the city limits. This notice was ordered filed.

Mrs. Rosalie Hoffman, through her attorney, filed a notice of injury claiming to have been received by reason of an insufficiency and want of repair of a street in the Fourth ward. This notice was ordered filed.

The application of C. W. Sutton to rent some of the city land was upon motion granted.

A communication from John Zimmer notifying the city that it must pay rent for the house occupied by Mrs. Ed Zimmerman referred to the city attorney and member of the poor committee from the Fifth ward with power to act.

The city attorney's report upon the plat of Patch's addition, together with the original plat was referred to the committee on city affairs for investigation and to report at the next meeting.

The Wisconsin Valley Electric railway franchise was then taken up, together with the committee's report on the same. It was moved and seconded to cut out the first section line and the first two years of the eighth line of section 2 of the committee's report. This motion was lost by the following vote: Eds, 10; Schenk, 9; Patterson, 10; Langosky, 1; Neeseman, 1; Pfeiffer, 1; Polk, 1; Johnson, 1; Tilly, 1.

Moved and seconded that section 3 of the committee's report be amended to read "between" in lieu of "thirty" days. This motion prevailed.

Moved and seconded that section 4 of the committee's report be amended by adding to said section "to be regulated by the mayor and common council."

Moved and seconded that section 9 of the committee's report be amended to read "in place of" 25 years. This motion prevailed.

After general discussion it was voted and the motion was referred to the officials of the Wisconsin Valley Electric Railway company for the proposed amendments.

Aid Pfeiffer called for a report from the chairman of the fire department committee upon the proposed purchase of a horse for the fire department.

Ald. Ash advised the council that they were intending to get a horse, and had the dealers on the lookout for one, but it was a hard matter to pick out a horse for the city they had to take care of.

Ald. Schenk requested that some action be taken to relieve the residents of the Fourth ward from the surface water which came down upon them from the town of Hull and it was moved that the city attorney give notice to find out if there was any way in which the said town could be made to pay its part of the expense of a drain running along the north line of the 4th ward to river to take care of the surface water. This motion prevailed.

Ald. Pfeiffer said that he had looked up the city hose question and found that we lose more hose from our manner of caring for it than we do from its actual use. He thought this trouble could be very easily relieved by building racks at both ends of hoses so that it could be laid out at length and properly drained. He did not think it would cost to exceed \$100 to build the racks. Upon motion the committee on fire department emploved to have the racks built at a cost not to exceed \$100.

Ald. Ash wanted to know why the water company had not laid the water main on East Avenue as provided by the council some time last fall.

Ald. Langosky, member of the poor committee from the Fourth ward, asked the advice of the council as to amount of aid to be extended to several of the paupers in his ward and was advised to use his own judgment, but it was then ordered by the members present that no new aid should be extended to any persons until they had dedicated their property to the city.

Ald. Goss advised the council that the city's dwelling house on Hill's Avenue was in need of repair and the matter was referred to the committee on city buildings.

Ald. Schenk said that some complaint was being made because the city was building cement walks. His home advisor told him so far as he was concerned the city was doing increased and more work than the city could bear. He believed that this was one of the reasons the city had been slow in getting things done.

It was voted that the city's committee on city buildings prove in the proper manner to the cement walk around the property known as the Nisius property at the corner of Cass Street, strings between 10th and 11th Streets. This motion prevailed.

No further business was done and the adjourned.

A Fortunate Texan.

Mr. M. W. Goodloe, of 107 S. 11th street, Dallas, Tex., says: "In the past year I have become acquainted with Dr. King's New Life Pills, and no laxative I ever tried so effectively cures of malaria and biliousness. They don't grind nor gripe." 25 cents at H. D. McCulloch Co.

House For Sale.

Cottage with good barn, 211 Pfeiffer street, for sale. Enquire on premises.

Do Not Neglect the Children.

At this season of the year the first unnatural looseness of a child's bowels should have immediate attention. The best thing that can be given is Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, followed by castor oil as directed with each bottle of the remedy. For sale by H. D. McCulloch Co.

A Wellington Rose.

Once during the Iron Duke's campaign in the Pyrenees it happened that General Piedras disposition for receiving the assault of Marshal Soult displeased him. The danger threatened from in front, and the difficulty lay in delaying the attack until Wellington could effect the change he wished. He was, as usual, equal to the occasion. Waving his hat in the air, he galloped to the front of the regiment as if he meant to order a charge. The whole of Pierton's line cheered tremendously, and as the roar died away Wellington was heard to remark half to himself: "Soult is a cautious commander and will not attack in force without ascertaining the meaning of these cheers. That will leave time for the Sixth division to come up, and we shall beat him." This was exactly what happened, and Soult sustained a bloody repulse where he might have won an easy victory.

Smoking In Congress.

The rule against smoking in congress was adopted some years ago at the suggestion of the late Senator Ingalls of Kansas. The Kansas senator complained one day that smoke was being wafted into the chamber from the corridors or cloakrooms. Other senators joined the Kansan in protest. The rule was passed. Later it developed that the smoke came from burning waste near the capitol, and the wind carried it into the building. When it reached the offices of Mr. Ingalls it reminded him of a Kansas cigar. But the discovery of the mistake did not abate the rule. Washington Post.

Points of Law.

"I object to that question, your honor!" exclaimed the attorney for the defendant.

"On the ground that it is impudent, immaterial and irrelevant, I presume?"

"Only the first, your honor. It's actually impudent. Why, an answer to that question would give my client dead away."

Naturally so delicate a point had to be taken under advisement.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Out For the Dust.

Eva—Have you decided to accept the young man, Katharine? Katharine—No. At present I look upon him merely as a pack of cards. Eva—A pack of cards? Katharine—Yes. If he has the long green I shall make a deal. Eva—And if he has not? Katharine—Then I shall cut him.—Chicago News.

On the Woozy Mississippi.

A humorist has said "the Mississippi river is so crooked in places that a steamer going south has been known to meet itself coming north, giving passing signals and narrowly escaping a collision with itself."—Detroit Free Press.

Our Nearest Approach.

"Have you any decorations in America like the Victoria cross, for example?"

"Er—er—well, I think perhaps the double cross is our nearest approach to it."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Very Decollets.

"Poor chap! Everything he earns goes on his wife's back."

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By L. J. O'LEARY

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO.

Articles and Items of News That Appeared in the Columns of The Gazette, Quarter of a Century Ago Today

Walter G. Lee, now a resident of Wausau, came down Friday evening to get a break at city life.

In fact, he returned on Thursday evening from his school work at Fond du Lac. He will probably spend his three days in vacation at home in his city.

Mrs. C. F. Schmitz is now in Milwaukee, having been summoned there last Friday evening on account of the death of a little girl, a daughter of Ernst Kretschmer, the city.

Median Point has purchased the restaurant equipment of Third and Clark streets formerly run by Frank Piper. It is a young man full of enterprise who together with their mother and father are endeavoring to satisfy the public by serving simple meals.

H. D. Moore, 18, a boy in the flesh, has been out for several weeks past, a new crew of carpenters and masons having come along making renovations to his home.

"The Girl at Work," published in New York, has announced that on Thursday, June 1st, it will begin the publication of a story written by Miss Julia F. Sison, of this city. It is entitled "Nights and Days," and as the title is pretty bad, there will no doubt be many who will be anxious to read on this story. Miss Tascher in this is a well-published book for girls.

The girls, now on Third street managed by William and W. H. Collins, was dissolved Tuesday of last week. Wm. Collins will continue the business at the old store, and W. H. Collins will immediately go into what is an entirely new business in this city. He has purchased a ranch in some good pasture land on the west side of the river, and will later keep new milk cows, bees, etc., raising cattle, sheep, etc., for sale at reasonable prices.

Chas. Calkins, an engineer on the travel train on the northern division of the Central, was seriously injured Monday afternoon. He fell between the cars while the train was in motion and before the cars could be stopped five cars had passed over his body. He fell directly between the wheels of the cars and consequently none of them struck him, but were taken out of his head and body were largely bruised by coming in contact with different bars, etc. He is a son of Jacob Calkins, of Amherst Junction.

Scarec: without warning, last Wednesday noon, after a warm and sultry morning, a blinding flash of lightning played havoc in this city. The cupola on N. Blat's house on Clark street was struck and the residence of Judge Park, also on Clark street, was entered by the lightning striking the rear portion of the ell roof and tearing away plaster and lath in a bedroom. The servant girl, who was standing in an adjoining room, was considerably shocked. At the home of T. C. Rice, on Briggs street, the woodshed was the only portion of the entire house which was not damaged, and it happened that all members of the family at home were in the shed at the time investigating the ice box. One of Mr. Rice's little daughters was rendered insensible at the time and the rest were more or less stunned. In the house, plaster and lath covered the floors, carpets were destroyed, partitions were torn down, windows broken and blinds torn off. Floors and walls have been so moved that it is easily seen that they are several inches out of plumb. The school house in the Fleming district, at Amherst, was struck at about the same time.

It's Up to Him to Explain.

In speaking of the handsome new dress of type donned by his brother editor, R. H. Johnson, of the Wausau Central, Gene Thayer, the editor of the Pilot-Review says: "No one but a printer realizes the difference between new, clear cut type and that which has become 'bottle headed' (the latter is not the technical term) through constant use and wear." While it may not always be best to speak of things as they are and call "a spade a spade," as it were, it seems rather unjust to Brother Thayer's readers to leave them in the dark in this instance and keep them guessing as to what he means in using the phrase "bottle headed."

'Twas a Square Deal.

The Oriole base ball team of this city was to have played at Merrill on Sunday, June 9th, but owing to the inability of a few of the Orioles to make the trip, the game was cancelled. With that quick observing power for which every editor is noted and which is apparent in the Merrill Advocate's "pencil pusher," he noticed that Stevens Point had beaten the Grand Rapids team on the day the Orioles were to have played there, and concludes his article with these statements: "Looks like an Etiopian in the wood pile somewhere. Isn't the Stevens Point aggregation playing on the level with Merrill?"

In the way of enlightenment we must say that we have several base ball teams in this city. The Orioles is a strong team and it would have been honor enough to have Merrill crossed with that team, but it is quite presumptuous when they assume the right of having a game scheduled with the first team. Should such a thing be brought about the Advocate would be surprised at the "square deal" they would get after what a level Stevens Point could set the Merrill aggregation.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Love and son.

Roe, and Miss Grace McCarthy, all of Grand Rapids, arrived in the city Tuesday morning, to attend the Normal Senior Class play, in which Miss Fern Love, daughter and sister of those first mentioned, took a leading part. Mrs. Love and Miss McCarthy will remain until the end of the commencement week and Mr. Love and his son will return tomorrow.

Mrs. M. C. Sherwood.

One of Stevens Point's most esteemed lady residents and a teacher in our city schools for upwards of thirty years, will leave here tomorrow for the Veterans' Home at Waupaca to spend the remaining years of her life. After so many strenuous years in the schoolroom, Mrs. Sherwood can appreciate the peace and contentment that this Home offers to old timers and their widows.

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KILLED IN A PAPER MILL ANOTHER YOUNG LIFE ENDED

Albert Reistad, a Young Stevens Pointe, Meets Death at Marseilles, Ill. Remains Brought Home.

Albert Reistad, the oldest son of Mr. Louis Reistad, who lives in this city at 6 Elk street, was the victim of a sad accident, in which he was instantly killed, which at work at 5:25 o'clock last Wednesday evening, in the plant of the W. D. Boege Paper Co., at Marseilles, Ill., and where he had been employed during the past year and a half. The death was caused by the explosion of a cold water dryer on a large print paper machine. The dryer is supported by framework several feet above the floor, and in itself a mammoth steel cylinder. It was filled with luke warm water, and not being subject to pressure, its accidental explosion could not be accounted for by the most experienced men in the plant. When the explosion occurred, the head of the cylinder was blown out and the frame work upon which it rested broke down. Arthur was under the structure at the time, and as it fell to the floor, one of the iron steps on the side of the cylinder pierced the right side of his abdomen. Other parts of the body were badly crushed with the great weight and the entire body bruised. Death came instantly. Two other employees were also injured. Carl Reistad, a brother of the unfortunate young man, was near by at the time and witnessed the fatal accident.

Albert was 22 years of age. He was born at Watertown on Nov. 9, 1881, and he lived there with his parents until 1893, when after the death of his father, whose name was the same as that of the son, he came to Stevens Point with his mother and they made their home for a number of years after that with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beach, in the Fifth ward.

The young man attended the local Normal school and later the Business College. He was always a hard worker and his educational career was successful. After completing the course in the business college he accepted a position in a railway office at Minneapolis, where he remained for two and a half years, during which he became one of the most proficient billing clerks in the establishment. Last fall he spent four months in a grocery store at Adel, Iowa, but returned to Minneapolis about the holiday season and after working a few months with the Aeromotor Co. he resigned. Fred was as fine a young man as one is fortunate in finding. He possessed a moral character of unimpeachable worth, a pleasant manner and a courteous address, and though of a somewhat reticent nature, these attributes paved a way into the hearts of all whom he met, both young and old. He possessed resolute mental powers and when at work in training his education proved to be unusually intelligent. Fred is survived by his mother and a sister, Miss Minnie Moore. His death was the first to occur since the opening of the sanatorium.

The funeral was held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Curran House, where the remains had been received. Rev. A. G. E. Jenner officiated. Interment took place in Forest cemetery. The pallbearers were Ross L. Win. Rothman, Leslie Bennett, C. J. Jensen, Ernest Playman and George Eagleburger. Hymns were sung by Mrs. C. F. Raymond, Miss Nels. W. H. Coye and Harry Cowles, and Miss Lillian Rivers as accom-

More Locals.

A course of telegraphy will be added on Aug. 1st to the present curriculum of the Stevens Point business college. The instructor has not as yet been chosen.

Mrs. Theresa Harroun, wife of Horatio Harroun, of Buena Vista, will be taken to Oshkosh for treatment, having been pronounced ill with pernicious insanity by Drs. Rogers and Lindores. She is 29 years of age, and has a child 10 days old.

The mill of the Wausau Box Co., of which W. B. Schutte, an early day resident of Stevens Point, is secretary and treasurer, was burned last Monday evening, with a loss estimated at \$65,000, with insurance of \$42,750, and throwing 150 men out of employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Zellman, recently of Chippewa Falls, have moved to this city and will make their permanent home here. They are living at present with his brother-in-law, Fred Santosh, on Main street. Mr. Zellman is a plumber and holds a position here with Jas. B. Sullivan & Co.

Graduates of the Stevens Point business college are receiving positions as fast as they complete the course. In addition to the places secured by Milo Cooper and Chris Larson, Miss Rose Kamrowski has been chosen as instructor of shorthand in the Eau Claire college. Miss Anna Hodell has accepted a position with the Schilling Produce Co. of Green Bay.

Prof. and Mrs. F. F. Showers leave next Tuesday for Madison where they will join a party of about twenty-five educators who go in a special train to Los Angeles, Cal., to attend the national teachers' convention. Prof. Showers will lecture during one of the sessions, the subject assigned him being "Co-ordination of Class and Individual Instruction on Common Subjects."

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Examining Committee Meeting.

The examining committee of the state Normal schools, including Mrs. Youmans, of Waukesha, and Messrs. Harrington of Oshkosh, Kittell of Madison, Roemer of Milwaukee, and McFarland of this city, spent Thursday in the city and conducted the examination of the graduating classes at the Normal. They were entertained at dinner by the young ladies of the domestic science department. President and Mrs. Sims and Miss Josephine Fitzgerald were guests at the function.

Some Ancient Mythology.

Marshfield News: How Conductor Wm. Carr ever got it in his noodle that we were an admirer of ancient mythology is more than we can guess. Carr now lives in Chicago. He used to live here, and since his leaving there is a Carr shortage that is sadly missed. Last week he remembered us with two souvenir postal cards, one showing Noah's ark surrounded by water and the other an illustration of wash day at the home of Adam and Eve. This is a pathetic scene and shows to ripening generations how sadly our first parents were in need of clothing. It's a mighty lucky thing they lived in a time when dinners and card parties were yet undiscovered. On a line made of grape vine, drying in the sunlight, is the result of Eve's washing—two fig leaves. Eve is hid behind the wash tub, while Adam is sitting near by, clothed in smiles until his fig leaf is dry. Whatever possessed William Sunflower Carr to send us these antediluvian scenes is more than we can see. Anyway, thank you Bill for remembering us.

Algie is Responsible.

The following interview appeared in last Saturday's issue of the Milwaukee Evening Wisconsin, and is no doubt responsible in a large measure for the warm, sultry weather this section has experienced during the past few days:

"If Milwaukee people had been getting the kind of weather we had up in Portage county then there would be reason for grumbling in this city," declared County Clerk A. E. Bourn, whose home is in Stevens Point. "Last week there were three frosty mornings and considerable garden truck and other tender plants were killed. Such a spring has never been known up our way. Early planted potatoes are rotting in the ground and much replanting already has been done. Corn is just peeping above ground and I have grave doubts that it will be knee high by July 4th. There is an agricultural maxim that corn that is not knee high on Independence day will be a failure and it certainly looks as if that would come true this year. There has not been such an excessive amount of rain but the sun has not shown long enough to dry the surface of the ground and it's the sun that makes things grow on the farm. The outlook for the farmers this year is anything but satisfactory."

Normal Notes.

The examinations of the elementary and full course graduates were held by the examining committee of the state Normal regents on Thursday and Friday.

The most successful and enjoyable social event of the school year occurred last Friday evening, when the juniors gave the annual banquet and reception to the seniors and faculty. A splendid three course dinner was prepared by Mrs. Kellar and served by twelve of the elementary girls. P. M. Geimer presided as toastmaster and performed the duties with dignity. George Everson responded to "The Junior Girls," and made himself a gentleman in their estimation. Miss Emma Anders lauded the attributes of "Our Faculty," and in behalf of that distinguished body, Pres. J. F. Sims responded. T. M. Risk recounted the "History of the Senior Class." Dancing was enjoyed by the several hundred people present until 10:30.

The class day exercises will be held in the assembly room this evening. Tomorrow a general reception will be given by the students to everybody in the city interested in the welfare of the Stevens Point Normal. The alumni of the institution will begin to arrive here tomorrow and on Friday afternoon will hold the reunion and business session, all to conclude with the alumni banquet Friday evening. On Saturday and the following days will occur the usual and annual exodus of the Normalites.

Free, for catarrh, just to prove merit, a trial size box of Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Remedy. Let me send it now. It is a snow white, creamy, healing, antiseptic balm. Containing such healing ingredients as oil eucalyptus, thymol, menthol, etc., it gives instant and lasting relief to catarrh of the nose and throat. Make the free test and see for yourself what this preparation can and will accomplish. Address Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. Large jars 50 cents, sold by all dealers.

Program For Chautauqua.

The daily program for the Good Templars' Chautauqua, which will be in our city from Tuesday morning, June 25, to the end of that week is given as follows:

TUESDAY.

2:30 p. m.—Chalk talk, J. Franklin Caveny, of Boston.

8:00 p. m.—Cartooning and chalk talk entertainment, Mr. Caveny.

WEDNESDAY.

2:30—Lecture, Miss Lillian M. Phelps, of Canada.

8:00—Lecture, "The Eternal City," Miss Phelps.

THURSDAY.

2:30—Lecture, Prof. O. W. Blain, of Michigan.

8:00—Illustrated lecture and moving picture entertainment, Prof. Blain

FRIDAY.

2:30—Lecture, Hon. Chas. O. Merica, of Indiana.

8:00—Lecture, "The Boy Who Goes Wrong," Mr. Merica.

SATURDAY.

2:30—Concert, Philodine Male Quartette assisted by Miss Katherine Carroll Smith, reader.

8:00—Concert, Quartette and reading by Miss Smith.

SUNDAY.

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Local musical talent will be employed at each number during the week. The tent where the chautauqua is to be held will be pitched next Monday on the old white school grounds.

OUR MARKETS

(Grain and feed quotations are given by telephone every Wednesday noon by Jackson Milling Co., while V. Betlach publishes the prices on meats, butter, etc. E. M. Copps the prices on hay and pasture, and farmers and buyers can depend on Rosebud.)

Patent Flour.....

Rye Flour.....

Wheat.....

Rye, 56 pounds.....

Oats.....

Middlings.....

Feed.....

Eran.....

Corn.....

Corn meal.....

Butter.....

Eggs.....

Chickens.....

Turkeys.....

Lard.....

Mess Pork.....

Mess Beef.....

Hogs live.....

Hogs dressed.....

Beef live.....

Beef dressed.....

Hams.....

Hay, Timothy.....

Hay, Timothy.....

City Clerk's Office, City of Stevens Point, Wis., June 5, 1907.

TAKE NOTICE—that at a regular meeting of the common council of the city of Stevens Point, Wis., held on the 4th day of June, 1907, the complete and final report of the board of public works of said city, relating to the improvement of Strong's avenue from the south line of Brawley street to the south line of Shaurette street by constructing thereon a combined curb and gutter and repave said street with macadam, according to plans and specification was confirmed and adopted, and at said meeting it was determined by the common council that the amounts to be paid by the abutting real estate as benefits on account of the improvement of said Strong's avenue to be the amounts hereinafter set opposite the following real estate, to wit:

ASSESSMENTS TO BE ASSESSED AS BENEFITS

| Name of Owner and Description of Property | Damages | Benefits | Amounts |
|---|---------|--|---------|
| Mrs. N. Knope lot 196, block 41, S. E. and O..... | | To street \$9 34 curb 16 00 | \$27 34 |
| Mary Campbell lot 195, block 41, S. E. and O..... | | " curb 9 34 street 18 00 | 27 34 |
| F. B. Roe lot 194, block 41, S. E. and O..... | | " curb 18 00 street 9 34 | 27 34 |
| Mary Langdon lot 193, block 41, S. E. and O..... | | " curb 18 00 street 9 34 | 27 34 |
| Mrs. Lytle lot 192, block 41, S. E. and O..... | | " curb 18 00 street 9 34 | 27 34 |
| H. E. Edwards lot 191, block 41, S. E. and O..... | | " curb 18 00 street 9 34 | 27 34 |
| J. K. Hanson lot 190, block 41, S. E. and O..... | | " curb 18 00 street 9 34 | 27 34 |
| Ole Olson lot 189, block 41, S. E. and O..... | | " curb 18 00 street 9 34 | 27 34 |
| J. Christenson lot 188, block 41, S. E. and O..... | | " curb 36 00 street 18 68 | 54 68 |
| Lutheran Church lot 197, block 40, S. E. and O..... | | " curb 18 00 street 9 34 | 27 34 |
| E. Martin lot 198, block 40, S. E. and O..... | | " curb 18 00 street 9 34 | 27 34 |
| C. J. Lawton lot 199, block 40, S. E. and O..... | | " curb 18 00 street 9 34 | 27 34 |
| Mrs. P. Menzel lot 200, block 40, S. E. and O..... | | " curb 18 00 street 9 34 | 27 34 |
| A. Adams lot 201, block 40, S. E. and O..... | | " curb 18 00 street 9 34 | 27 34 |
| A. Scherbert lot 202, block 40, S. E. and O..... | | " curb 18 00 street 9 34 | 27 34 |
| Mrs. Bauersock lot 203, block 40, S. E. and O..... | | " curb 18 00 street 9 34 | 27 34 |
| Mrs. Bauersock lot 204, block 40, S. E. and O..... | | " curb 18 00 street 9 34 | 27 34 |
| Mrs. L. Welshy lot 205, block 40, S. E. and O..... | | " curb 36 00 street 18 68 | 54 68 |
| E. Tack lot 772, block 83, M. M. Strong's 2d ad.. | | " curb 36 00 street 18 68 | 54 68 |
| J. Whittaker lot 773, block 83, M. M. Strong's 2d ad.. | | " curb 18 00 street 9 34 | 27 34 |
| J. Whittaker lot 774, block 83, M. M. Strong's 2d ad.. | | " curb 18 00 street 9 34 | 27 34 |
| L. R. Booth lot 775 and 16' feet of 776, block 83, M. M. Strong's 2d ad..... | | " curb 18 00 street 9 34 | 27 34 |
| C. B. Baker 44 feet of lot 776, block 83, M. M. Strong's 2d ad..... | | " curb 13 20 street 6 88 | 20 08 |
| F. L. Dille lot 777 and 10' feet of 778, block 83, M. M. Strong's 2d ad..... | | " curb 21 00 street 10 90 | 31 90 |
| A. Miller lot 778, block 83, M. M. Strong's 2d ad.. | | " curb 15 00 street 7 80 | 22 80 |
| G. H. Altenburg lot 779, block 83, M. M. Strong's 2d ad.. | | " curb 18 00 street 9 34 | 27 34 |
| E. Dench lot 780, block 83, M. M. Strong's 2d ad.. | | " curb 36 00 street 18 68 | 54 68 |
| C. Geisler lot 781, block 82, M. M. Strong's 2d ad.. | | " curb 36 00 street 18 68 | 54 68 |
| F. Abb lot 782, block 82, M. M. Strong's 2d ad.. | | " curb 18 00 street 9 34 | 27 34 |
| F. Abb 30 feet of lot 783, block 82, M. M. Strong's 2d ad.. | | " curb 9 00 street 4 67 | 13 67 |
| City Property 30 feet of lot 783, block 82, and all of lot 784, block 82, M. M. Strong's 2d ad.. | | " street 14 01 curb 27 00 | 41 01 |
| Wm. Calkins lot 785, block 82, M. M. Strong's 2d ad.. | | " street 9 34 curb 18 00 | 27 34 |
| Wm. Calkins lot 786, block 82, M. M. Strong's 2d ad.. | | " curb 18 00 street 9 34 | 27 34 |
| Jas. Rice lot 787, block 82, M. M. Strong's 2d ad.. | | " curb 18 00 street 9 34 | 27 34 |
| Jas. Rice lot 788, block 82, M. M. Strong's 2d ad.. | | " curb 18 00 street 9 34 | 27 34 |
| H. Hoefler lot 789, block 82, M. M. Strong's 2d ad.. | | " curb 29 00 street 18 68 | 54 68 |

All in the city of Stevens Point, Portage county, Wisconsin. That the balance of the cost of said improvement shall be paid out of the proper city fund.

You are further notified that the above and foregoing is the final determination of the common council made as to the benefits and damages assessed to the real estate on account of the proposed improvements on Strong's avenue on the south line of Brawley street to the south line of Shaurette street.

H. J. FINCH, City Clerk.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 19, 1907.

OFFICIAL COUNTY PAPER.

Cottage residence on Strong's avenue for rent. Call at 312 Strong's avenue. Miss Frances Nimitz has returned from Cranston, where she completed her term of school.

Misses Verlie Hanson and Grace Marchel, of Dancy, visited with friends in this city Saturday.

You will find it to your advantage to get prices from Archibald for funeral outifts, including hearse, hacks, etc.

If you have the misfortune to find it necessary to hire a funeral outfit, Archibald, the liveryman, will save you money.

Public library patrons drew a total of \$33 books last week, 370 of them being works of fiction and 331 juvenile volumes.

Dr. J. W. Bird, of Oshkosh, will be at the Grand Central Hotel, Friday, June 28th, to look after his eye patients.

Miss Belle Mitchell has returned home for the summer vacation after completing her term of school at Stockholm, Wis.

Frank Mioskowski, proprietor of the Stevens Point tannery, went to Waupeca, yesterday morning, on a short business trip.

Miss Ruby Tack has been visiting relatives and friends in Fond du Lac for the past week, and is expected home tomorrow.

Miss Marie Sisk, who has been a student at the Normal during the past year, left yesterday morning for her home at Montello.

D. D. Conway, the Grand Rapids attorney, spent three hours in the city Monday evening, while on his way home from Montello.

Concert size cylinder records, six inches in length, containing the latest songs and most popular music, just received by Reton Bros. & Co.

Mrs. Carolyn Jefferson entertained Mrs. Carolyn Wales and Mrs. S. Brace, of Rib Lake, at her home on Normal avenue during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Brown and son left for Waupeca today, where they have a cottage at the lakes and will remain during the summer months.

Mrs. John Shannon, of Winona, has been visiting for a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Clifford, and brother, John W. Clifford, in this city.

Mrs. Oscar Hanson and daughter and Miss Cora Peterson, of Scandinavia, are being entertained by Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Gunderson at their home on Clark street.

Mrs. W. J. Dafoe, who has been the guest of her son, A. E. Dafoe, since last fall, left here yesterday for Appleton to remain during the summer with other relatives.

Miss Florence Moody, who is teaching in one of the district schools near Milladore, spent Saturday at home and accompanied Miss Margaret Prausa on the return trip, Sunday morning.

Mrs. Lucy Spindler White, of Lima, Ohio, arrived here last week to visit for a few days with her brother, Prof. F. N. Spindler, and attend the closing exercises at the State Normal school.

People of this city showed their patriotic spirit, last Friday, by displaying flags at their business places and residences in commemoration of the 130th anniversary of the stars and stripes.

Mr. and Mrs. Kellogg Bahner and little daughter, Margaret, of Brainerd, Minn., are visiting relatives and friends in this city, the former to remain two weeks and the latter two for a month.

"The Relation of the Individual to the State," was the subject of an address to the commencement class of the Boyd High school by Prof. C. B. Bacon, teacher of reading and history at the Normal.

Rev. M. H. Clifford, of Oshkosh, and Ed. Clifford of Fond du Lac, came up Thursday evening to witness the High school graduating exercises, their sister, Miss Mamie, being one of the graduates.

Frank Skeel and C. H. Newhall, of Plainfield, and John A. Rich, of Almond, spent a few hours in this city last Saturday morning, while on their way to Gills Landing on a white bass fishing expedition.

Mrs. J. M. Bischoff accompanied her mother, Mrs. Jane Brown, and her friend, Miss Katherine Dolan, to their home at Milwaukee, Saturday. Mrs. Bischoff will spend a week or ten days in the Cream City.

Misses Nellie Moeschler and Ethel Gee have completed their schools at Marshfield and have returned to their homes in this city. Both will teach next year at Marshfield, having been offered an increase in salary.

Miss Ida Westphal, of Minneapolis, arrived here the first of the week to attend the funeral of Fred L. Moore and visit a few days with his mother, Mrs. Lizzie Beach Moore. The young lady returned home this morning.

Wm. Cartwright, an old time resident of this city, came up from Waupeca, last Sunday, with the base ball aggregation, his son being a member of the team, and spent a couple of days visiting here with another son, "Bob."

John Haynes, who came to his home in this city last week from Marseilles, Ill., and returned Monday morning, was accompanied by Joseph C. Karner, Pat Ward and Robt. Perkins, who have entered the employ of the W. D. Boyce Paper Co.

Geo. L. Rogers and John Martini returned from Mt. Clemens, Mich., last Saturday evening, where they spent nearly three weeks, and both come back feeling excellent, having unbounded faith in the waters of that health resort.

Miss Etta Shimmins, a teacher in the Antigo schools, left Tuesday for her home at Delevan after spending a few days in this city with her sister, Mrs. F. F. Showers. The young lady expects to attend the summer session of the Whitewater Normal.

John A. Dorney, Ensign Atwell and Miss Lydia Wheelock came up from Madison Saturday evening after finishing their year's work. The other Stevens Pointers who have returned to their homes here are George L. Gross, Frank Calkins, Edward Mathie, and J. Roe Pfiffner, who will return in a few days.

Have you seen the new mounts and work at the Person Studio? We are always glad to show you our work. Call and see us.

B. B. Park spent a few days of this week at Waupaca.

Mrs. Wm. Welch is spending the week as the guest of relatives in Milwaukee.

The finest opera coach in the state, especially for wedding parties, at Archibald's livery.

Wanted Girl for general housework. Small family. Good wages. Apply at 403 Jefferson street.

Square dealing is Jos. Glinski's motto. Give him a call before ordering your suit or overcoat.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Chapman and two children were up from Grand Rapids, last Sunday, to visit with his parents during the day.

French, Campbell & Co., 419 Main street, have a very fine and novel line of gifts suitable for graduates, and invite your inspection.

George B. Nelson spent a couple days of the past week at Milwaukee on a business and pleasure trip, returning home Monday evening.

Banners, pennants, etc., of all styles, suitable for the commencement week festivities, for sale at French, Campbell & Co.'s, 449 Main street.

Miss Florence Sutton, who holds a desirable position as stenographer at Duluth, is at the home of her parents on Main street for a few days' visit.

The local base ball team will go to Merrill next Sunday, where they will play the crack nine of that city in the afternoon, and a firstclass game is expected.

J. W. Dunegan, of the First National bank, spent Monday at Nelsonville on business, and Cashier Collins of the Wisconsin State bank spent the same day at Menasha.

Miss Genevieve McDill has been at Madison for several days taking part in the social affairs incident to the close of the university and visiting with members of her sorority.

At Stertz's Hall, Junction City, a grand ball will be given next Monday evening, Robt. Galloway manager. Tickets for dance, 50 cents per couple, and for supper the same.

Chas. Lemke, a former teacher in our High school, but who has been at Marinette for the past couple of years, is now making Green Bay his headquarters, where he will teach next season.

The population of Rhinelander has been increased, for a son was born Monday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Leadbetter, residents of that city, the father being a former Stevens Point young man.

Martin Beyer, of the town of Plover, and John Berry, of Buena Vista, were in the city Tuesday. Both were feeling better since the warm weather commenced, and say one can almost see the crops grow.

The Nationals proved easy victims to the Oaks at Athletic park, Sunday afternoon, in a one sided game of baseball, the score being 10 to 2. Batteries—Nationals, Bandow and Menzel; Oaks, Hubbard and Hein.

J. S. Griffith, manager of Mohr-Stotzer Lumber Co. at Holt, spent Tuesday in the city on a business trip. Their mill is in active operation, and daily shipments are being made over the Northwestern at Galloway.

James Alcorn has gone to Manitowoc, where he has entered the employ of the Goodrich Steam Boat Co., as checking clerk on one of their large lake vessels. He will be in Milwaukee and Chicago during the next two months.

Miss Alta Sherman, who had been numbered among the Marshfield public school teachers during the past two years, has completed a successful term and has returned for the summer vacation. She has accepted the same position for next year.

Morton Edwards has returned to his home in this city after graduating from the military academy at Mohegan Lake, N. Y. He will return to New York next year where he will specialize in vocal and instrumental music with prominent instructors.

S. W. Carley has secured the contract for the carpenter work in the improvement of the High school heating system. A. P. Jensen will do the brick work. A number of the High school boys will be employed as helpers at various kinds of work.

Milo Cooper, who held the position of assistant in the city offices for several weeks, left the first of the week for Eveleth, Minn., where he has joined several other young Stevens Point men who are at work in the mines there. He has succeeded here by Chris Larson.

W. E. Brown, of this city, was elected for two years as a member of the grand executive committee of the Wisconsin United Commercial Travelers, at Appleton, the other day. Fond du Lac and Green Bay were candidates for the next annual convention, but the former won by a vote of 52 to 23.

Franz Krembs, who has been attending the Chicago Dental College, has returned home for the summer vacation. His brother, Moritz, a student at the same college, is now in Ohio interesting parties in purchasing home-seekers tickets over certain lines, and intends to visit the exposition at Jamestown before his return.

Frank Boyanowski is having a new steel frame improved Howe scale installed near the block he recently purchased, on the spot where the Johnson scale formerly stood. The building which recently changed hands is also being altered and improved and after its completion will be used as a saloon by Polebitzki & Kaczmarek.

W. E. Langenberg left Friday for Wittlesey, and was joined Sunday by his son, William, and daughter, Miss Ella. Mr. Langenberg will remain for some time to superintend the erection of new brick kilns by a crew of local masons and the young man to receive practical experience in brick manufacturing. Miss Ella is visiting there with numerous friends.

Miss Hazel, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scheffner, who reside on Franklin street, is rapidly recovering from the gradual loss of sight, which she began to experience from some unknown cause last August. The young lady has been under the care of Dr. Schneider, of Milwaukee, for nearly a year and her improvement is a source of pleasure to many friends.

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Mrs. C. von Neupert and son, Otto, are spending a couple of days with the lady's sister, Mrs. Sam Shafer, at Colby.

Miss Anna Dunegan left here yesterday for an extended visit in Milwaukee, Chicago and with her mother's relatives at Bradford, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. George DeLong have gone to Tilten, Neb., where they will attend a family reunion at the home of his brother, John DeLong, tomorrow.

George Kakaska and Tom Galvear, of Beloit, visited here for the past few days with friends and relatives of the former. They also spent a day at Milwaukee with friends.

Harold Martin returned Saturday noon from Wausau, where he had been spending the past month. He was accompanied by his cousins, Newton and Miss Ina Martin, who will remain here for some time.

Miss Blanche Smith returned last week from Nashville, Tenn., where she had been attending a young lady's seminary at that place for the past year. Miss Smith will spend another year at the institution.

Miss Anna Ferris attended the commencement exercises of Milwaukee Downer college the past week, her niece, Miss Edith Burr, having completed the work there and was numbered among the graduates.

Louis Brill, who has been at Tampa, Florida, for several months, is general manager of the Tampa & Sulphur Springs Traction Co., operating an electric car line, which is said to be doing an excellent business.

Dr. C. von Neupert, Sr., and R. Oberlatz have returned from Manitowoc, where they spent Sunday as local delegates to the Krieger Verein reunion held in that city. Nick Miller, also a German army veteran, attended.

President Sims, of the Normal, will deliver an address to the teachers of Manitowoc county, at Manitowoc, next Monday evening. On Tuesday and Wednesday of next week Mr. Sims will be at Madison attending a meeting of Normal school regents.

About 30 couples enjoyed a delightful time at Opera House hall, last evening, the occasion being a dancing party given by the Harmonia society. Music was furnished by Secosh's orchestra.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bigelow and baby arrived here Tuesday from Rhinelander to visit a few days with the lady's mother, Mrs. Marcianna Boyer, and among numerous other relatives on the North Side.

Mrs. L. R. Lamb has returned after spending several months at the Columbia school of Music in Chicago, where she taught and studied. She would be pleased to re-organize her class of piano students.

Prof. and Mrs. C. B. Bacon leave here tomorrow for Cambridge, Mass., where Mr. Bacon will conduct examinations at Harvard college for about three weeks. They will spend the entire summer in the east.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Dietrich, of St. Cloud, Minn., and Mrs. John J. Beltz, and daughter, Ethel, of Seattle, Wash., are in the city visiting at the home of the mother of the ladies, Mrs. C. Heil, on Pine street, for an extended stay.

Miss Ada Haas, of Rhinelander, is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. L. D. Kitowski on Water street, to remain for several weeks. On her return she will be accompanied by Mrs. Kitowski, who expects to spend some time at Rhinelander.

Edward Lange spent the past week on a short business trip in Madison and Montello. He says he was surprised to note the great growth of the Montello quarries, which now execute some of the best work in engraving and granite embossing.

J. E. Meloy, Dr. R. D. Rood and H. V. Foster, all of Bartlesville, Ind. T., arrived in the city this morning, coming up to attend the annual meeting of the Stevens Point Oil company, which will be held this evening, and in which all are extensively interested.

Dr. E. H. Rogers is the second of Stevens Point's physicians to invest in an automobile, having purchased the single-seat Buick car brought here a couple of weeks ago and which has been satisfactorily tested on our streets and roads by J. N. Welsby.

Thus far forty-six saloon keepers, including one wholesale dealer, have filed applications for licenses. The number of licenses issued last year was forty-eight, and that is the limit which the council can grant this year, those who are doing business at present having the preference, providing there are no complaints against them.

Drs. M. G. Rood and M. A. Hadcock, of this city, are large stockholders in what is known as the Colgen Mining Co., which has mines located near Joplin, Mo. Other members of the company well known here are Dr. R. D. Rood and J. E. Meloy, of Bartlesville, I. T., and H. V. Foster of New York. The company has just completed the erection of a new 250 ton mill on its ten acre lease and is said to have made an exceptionally rich strike at a depth of 161 feet.

Sermons on Great Questions. Following are the subjects of sermons at St. Paul's M. E. church next Sunday: Morning sermon—"The World's Great Commencement Day." Evening sermon—"The Man of Policy, or the Man of Principle," illustrated by typical characters well known: which does the world need most today? Special music will be rendered at both services.

For MEN WOMEN and CHILDREN

Dr. H. W. Silvernale is spending the day at Waupaca.

Girl wanted for general housework. Call at once on Mrs. F. A. Krems, 519 Normal avenue.

Junior Parmeter returned last week from Culver, Ind., where he had been attending Culver military academy.

Dr. R. H. Rice spent yesterday at Two Rivers, where he assisted in performing a delicate surgical operation.

Robt. Fowler came up from Amherst

to Milwaukee, where he transacted business here during the forenoon.

Miss Grace Griffin has completed her year's duties as a teacher in the Kaukauna city schools and returned home last week.

Gilbert Atkins returned yesterday, after having spent a month on a delightful pleasure trip to Mt. Clemens and other Michigan points.

The local lodge of Elks will give a smoker and fish supper at their club rooms, Friday evening, commencing at 8 o'clock. Invitations have been issued to members.

Joseph C. Heil returned Tuesday from St. Cloud, where he had been the guest of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. George Dietrich, for nearly a month.

The sewing circle of Willard Hive and friends are being entertained today at the home of Henry Ward in Stockton by Miss Meta Ward and Mesdames Edwin Ward and L. Sherman.

W. B. Buckingham left this morning for Lake Geneva, where he is to attend the wedding of a niece that takes place tomorrow. He will remain on a short pleasure trip until Monday.

The Dauber Machine Company, of Oshkosh, has been incorporated with a capital stock of \$10,000. The incorporators are Chas. G. Dauber, C. W. Vandie Walker and L. A. Pomeroy.

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Remarkable Rescue.

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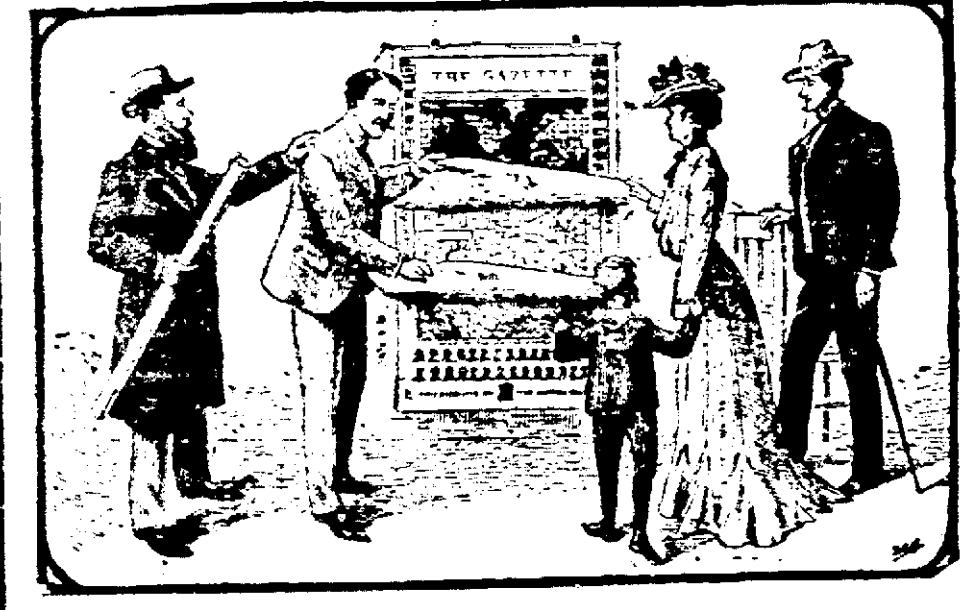
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SELECTIONS

HUMAN LEATHER.

It is Difficult to Get Workmen to Handle the Skin.

Human skin can be prepared, tanned and made into durable articles as such. Still, even the skin of horses and other animals. The most string leather is very much like doe-skin or pigskin. William Hansell of Philadelphia has the largest article which has ever been known to be made from human skin—a beautiful pure white saddle and any one examining it would be at a loss to tell the kind of skin from which it is made. The pores have a familiar look but the skin itself is of an astonishing thickness. This saddle was made from the skin of one man. A woman's skin, generally speaking, would be too delicate. Human skin leather is a very rare article, and there is no general trade in it. Sometimes a physician will have a piece made into a cover for an instrument case, and occasionally medical students get enough to be made into a purse or a pair of slippers. Patients sometimes have a belt or a book cover or some such article made from a limb which has been amputated.

The work of tanning human skin is pretty much the same as that of curing any other skin. Curiously enough, tattooing goes through the epidermis to the underskin, and not a little of the tanning of human skin is done for the purpose of preserving the designs tattooed upon it. Scalps with the hair on them so tanned are said to make the best wigs known, and because the tanning is done with alum instead of with oils, as is the case with furs and most of the hair covered skins of commerce, the resulting leather is much more durable.

It is very hard to get workmen to handle the leather. Mr. Hansell, owner of the saddle spoken of above, gave his piece of skin after it had been tanned to an old workman who had always made up all his leather goods and told him to make it into a saddle. Three weeks the workman kept the skin, and one day he brought the partly finished saddle to Mr. Hansell with some question about finishing. "By the way, Hansell," he remarked, "I wish you would tell me what this skin is. It is the most contrary stuff I ever worked with."

Very judiciously Hansell informed him that it was human leather. At that the workman dropped the half finished saddle and left without a word. He never returned, and nothing would induce him to finish the job. Mr. Hansell turned the unfinished saddle over to another workman, but he took good care not to tell him what kind of leather the "contrary stuff" was.—Chicago News.

Flags Are Not Toys.

The board of United States general appraisers has many curious and interesting questions to decide in regard to the classification of imported articles and the rate of duty which they must pay. One of the latest decisions is that the flag of the United States is not a toy. A Japanese firm of importers in Chicago had brought in a consignment of silk flags, each an inch and a half long, and asked that they be admitted at 35 per cent ad valorem. The appraisers, however, decided that the flags must pay a duty of 50 per cent as manufactures of silk. "We do not think," they said, "that the American flag, however diminutive, is commercially, commonly or nationally regarded as a plaything for children and we find that the flags in dispute are not toys."—Youth's Companion.

Crossing the Delaware.

Addressing the Sons of the Revolution at their Washington's birthday banquet in New York, Talcott Williams dispelled a familiar illusion. "Everybody," he said, "remembers the famous picture of Washington crossing the Delaware in an attitude which would lead any one in charge of the boat he was in to tell him to sit down." Mr. Williams said that as a matter of fact Washington, as he had been told by a man who had got it from General Cadwalader, who was present at the crossing, waited for every one else to cross and then was rowed across the river by a single farmer. His add. Knox. Mr. Williams said, crouched in the bow of the small boat in such a manner as to cause Washington to remark on the state of his trousers.

A Legacy and a Title.

Many times did the German emperor press the title of prince upon Herr von Richthofen, the latter would accept. The statesman wanted the title, but could not afford to live up to it. Of this the Kaiser knew nothing, of course. At length, after eighteen months he gave up the idea of Von Richthofen being a prince. A few days later he sent a note to the Kaiser, enclosing a portion of the gold coins he had been saving, and said it was the very last money he had, and laying stress on the fact. "Well, did you not say so before?"

New Gold Coins.

President Taft's new gold coins, consisting of two pieces, are intended by the designs on the gold coins now in use, and he has requested a New York artist to prepare new ones. According to law the designs cannot be changed often, though once in twenty five years. The law also provides that each coin shall bear the emblem of "Liberty," the year of coinage and the words "The United States." The present gold coins have been in use almost fifty years.—San Francisco Argonaut.

LAST OF THE HARMONISTS.

Bandmaster Dies and His Claim to a Large Pennsylvania Estate.

Many people who have heard John S. Dens at the head of his famous band would be surprised to learn that he and his wife have the last of the Pennsylvania society known as the Harmonists. The Harmonist cult was founded by George Rapp, a native of Wurtemberg. Rapp came to this country with a company of his followers in 1805, and a communistic settlement was established at Zelienople, Pa. Later on the Harmonists became known as the Harmonists. Celley was one of the most vital features of the sect, and every man or woman joining it had to take a vow to remain single. The mother of Dens lost her husband in

Pain Kills Some People

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No cup of joy without its dash of lemon. Senator Knox has been endorsed for the presidency, but Foraker says he's glad to hear it.

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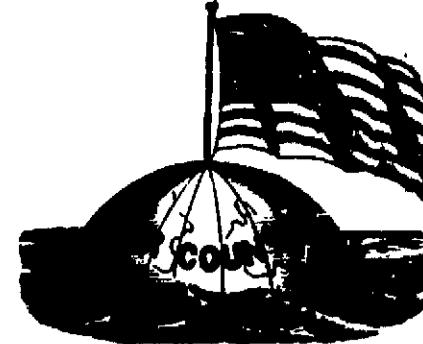
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ROUND ABOUT THE WORLD

Complete Review of Happenings of
Greatest Interest from All Parts of
the Globe—Latest Home and For-
eign Items.

THE HAYWOOD TRIAL.

The prosecution in the Steunenberg murder trial, entering in earnest upon the substantiation and corroboration of Harry Orchard's testimony, showed a continuous thread of evidence connecting George Pettibone's store in Denver with Orchard at San Francisco engaged on the Bradley murder plot, partly another direct line by which it is hoped to show that Haywood engaged and paid Steve Adams for the same desperate work, and added special touches of confirmation to Orchard's general story.

The Haywood defense closed the cross-examination of Harry Orchard by a fierce attack on his motives in confessing. He was moved to tears, but maintained that he was actuated solely by a desire to make reparation for his crimes and save his soul.

The Haywood defense carried the cross-examination of Orchard down to the Steunenberg murder. The witness told of a plot to kidnap the children of a rich miner for ransom and said it was suggested by David Coates, former lieutenant governor of Colorado.

Harry Orchard, on the stand for his sixth day in the Haywood trial, firmly withheld all the attempts of the defense to discredit his story. He denied that the Federation leaders left him without money. He told of a plot to blow up 150 non-union men in Globville which was stopped by Haywood.

Into the further cross-examination of Harry Orchard counsel for William D. Haywood repeatedly threw the suggestion of a great counter conspiracy, formulated and carried out by the enemies of the Western Federation of Miners, and indicated a determination to construct their main line of defense on that field. Orchard was firm in his denial of this theory.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The missing launch of the battleship Minnesota was located in 27 feet of water in Hampton Roads. Across the little craft was a tell-tale piece of towing line, serving to convince the naval officers that they are right in their theory that the launch was run down by a boat of some kind in tow of a tug. The diver who went down to examine the launch reported that the heads and arms of three men were protruding from beneath the canvas covering.

"Eddie" Guerin, who escaped to the United States from Devil's Island, then went to England where he was arrested and ordered to be extradited to France, was set free by the divisional court, which decided that the extradition act did not apply to the case.

The agreement between the Harriman interests and the Rock Island company, entered into in 1904 for their alternative control of the Chicago & Alton railroad, has been abrogated by mutual consent.

Harry Posner, aged 19, a waif brought to Howard, Kan., from New York in 1899, received a message from New York city stating that he had fallen heir to half a million dollars left by his father, who died in Cape Town, Africa.

The Russian premier demanded that the duma suspend a number of its members who are social democrats, that they might be tried for revolutionary crimes. The duma refused and its dissolution seemed certain.

Julius Lehmann and Emil Hartman, former St. Louis councilmen convicted of boddling and sentenced to the penitentiary over three years ago, were pardoned by Gov. Folk and released.

Secretary Taft suffered a severe attack of indigestion while at St. Paul, Minn.

Judge Dunne refused to release on bail Mayor Schmitz of San Francisco, convicted of extortion.

Little Herbert Sinclair, the 11-year-old son of a music dealer in Tyrone, Pa., has been captured at North Baltimore, O., after a year's abduction. The child said he was taken from his parents by a tramp, who made him live the life of a vagabond.

The business portion of Wesley, Ia., was destroyed by fire, the loss being \$50,000.

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New Orleans business men and wealthy Italians combined to put a stop to "Black Hand" outrages in that city.

Jesse McDowell, a veteran of the Seminole, Mexican and civil wars and a cousin of Gen. McDowell, the distinguished union soldier, died at Burlington, Kan., from injuries received in a fall, aged 102 years.

Roscoe Scofield Burton, of Peoria, Ill., a member of the junior law class in the University of Michigan, was accidentally drowned while bathing in Bass Lake, Mich.

Over 700,000 saw logs, valued at \$2,000,000, the largest gorge of timber ever known in a West Virginia river, broke loose up the Guyandotte river and practically swept out everything in the river that came in its path.

A federal grand jury at Springfield, Ill., returned an indictment against Rev. James R. K. Kaye, formerly pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Lincoln, and now editor of the Home Herald, published at Oak Park, a suburb of Chicago, charging him with manufacturing counterfeit money.

Thos. C. Coghill, cashier of the First National bank of Seymour, Wis., has confessed that he has lost \$40,000 of the bank's funds in the wheat pit during the last six months and the bank is in charge of the national bank examiner.

Arthur Appleyard, who got in trouble Thursday in Philadelphia over United Gas Improvement stock, arrived in Buffalo and said he hoped to break even.

When his name was called in court to testify against his father and sister, charged with the murder of the latter's infant child, Emery Mosher, of Huntington, Ind., committed suicide.

Dr. Franz Joseph, a leading Berlin physician, and Frau Burgothelf, prominent in German society, were found dead in bed. They had shot themselves in a suicide compact.

Rufus Williams at San Antonio, Tex., confessed to robbing Mrs. Sallie Gibbons of \$61,000 after attacking her.

Mrs. Jose A. Hill, prominent in Denver (Col.) society, obtained a verdict of \$101,789 for the loss of her husband, who was killed by a New York Central & Hudson River railroad train in New York.

Jacob Moran, after having killed a man at Kingston, N. Y., was saved from lynching by the arrival of the police.

Three masked men raided a sanitarium in Winnetka, a Chicago suburb, terrorized the patients and escaped with booty valued at \$1,000.

Mayor Eugene Schmitz, of San Francisco was found guilty of extortion by a jury and remanded to the custody of the sheriff until June 27 when he will be sentenced.

Charles Shafer, living near Ironton, Ohio, shot and killed his wife and eight-year-old son and wounded his mother-in-law. The tragedy was the result of domestic quarrels.

New Orleans police raided a large number of Italian homes in a vain effort to find Walter Lamana, the boy who was kidnapped by the "Black Hand."

By authority of the secretary of the interior there will become subject for settlement on September 30, and to entry on October 30, 1907, about 2,980,000 acres of land in Alaska.

Cloudbursts did great damage to crops in Kentucky and southern Indiana.

The death of James Stewart, an iron worker, who fell ten stories in a building being constructed in St. Louis resulted in the strike of about 1,000 iron structural workers to enforce demands that temporary flooring be placed on alternate floors of buildings in course of construction.

Don C. Henderson, once private secretary of Horace Greeley, and for many years publisher of the defunct Allegan Journal, has been taken to the insane asylum at Kalamazoo.

Upon petition of Frank Hagerman, acting for the 18 principal Missouri railroads, Judge Smith McPherson in the United States district court at Kansas City, granted a temporary order restraining Missouri officials from enforcing the maximum freight rate law and the two-cent passenger rate law.

Mrs. Telfair Hodgson, the philanthropist, aged 60, dropped dead at Sewanee, Tenn., while entertaining a large party of ladies at dinner. She was the widow of Dr. Telfair Hodgson, who was third vice president of the University of the South from 1875 to 1882, was for years dean of the theological department.

The body of Senator John T. Morgan was taken to Seima, Ala., for the funeral and interment.

A man shot himself on board a Coney Island steamer and then jumped overboard.

The strike of longshoremen at New York was declared off, the men resuming work at their former wages.

Five persons were killed and a number of buildings destroyed by an earthquake at Valdivia, Chile.

Typhoid fever is prevalent in Pittsburgh and an epidemic is feared.

Henry Wolff, of Easton, Wis., in a quarrel with his wife killed her with a blow of his fist.

The Wisconsin senate by a vote of 21 to 6 killed the two-cent fare railway bill.

W. M. Liggett has resigned as dean of the Minnesota Agricultural college. He assigned ill health as the cause.

August Meyer, a well-to-do shoe dealer of Brooklyn, was so severely beaten by three highwaymen that he died.

In a duel resulting from literary jealousy Alfonso Bacale was killed by Mariano Palombelli, a writer of popular songs, at Naples, and Palombelli is himself dying.

Art Brunskill, an Arapahoe (O. T.) farmer, was killed by Albert Walters, a hermit who lived in a cave. Walters tried to kill himself, but was captured.

Maj. William P. Butler, well-known officer in the Illinois national guard and former colonel in the regular army, is dead at his home in Bloomington, Ill.

The Helm Memorial Library, John Y. Routts' drug store and W. S. Berry's tin store were destroyed by fire at Versailles, Ky. The loss is \$32,000.

Because she was scolded by her mother Hazel Holt, 17 years old, committed suicide at her home in Chicago by inhaling gas.

The body of Minnie Kiederer, the Chicago girl who was drowned in Cedar lake, Indiana, was found floating near the spot where the sailboat in which she was riding capsized.

The army of Salvador defeated the force of rebels and Nicaraguans that had captured Acajutla and made prisoner John Moissant, a wealthy American who organized the expedition.

President Roosevelt and his family arrived at their summer home at Sagamore Hill, being warmly welcomed by the people of Oyster Bay.

Because a nonunion band had been engaged to take part all the union bands engaged at the Ohio Grand Army encampment at Canton with drew just as the parade started.

Chinese insurgents attacked the village of Yungchun, in the prefecture of Weichou, where they burned the military yamen.

Sarah L. E. Read was awarded \$101,789 for the loss of her husband, who was killed by a New York Central & Hudson River railroad train in New York.

An unknown man was fatally burned, Mrs. Annie Roundtree suffered a broken leg and serious burns and several others were less seriously injured as the result of a midnight fire in a Detroit lodging house.

August Gottwald, the biggest Elk in America, died at his home in Defiance, O., of pneumonia. Gottwald was 40 years old and weighed 450 pounds.

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Physicians in attendance on Gov. John S. Little of Arkansas said there was no hope of his recovery.

Carrie Nation, after barring a crowd in front of a Washington saloon, was arrested on the charge of disorderly conduct. She was released on \$20 collateral.

Mayor David S. Griffiths, of Springfield, Ill., drowned while endeavoring to ford on horseback a stream of water ten miles southeast of the city.

Walter Volz, a Swiss explorer, was captured and burned to death by natives of Liberia.

A severe wind and electrical storm passed over southern Indiana, doing much damage.

Ex-Chief Claremore, head of the Claremore band of Osage Indians, died suddenly. He had a wide acquaintance among the Indians, as well as the whites throughout southern Kansas and Oklahoma.

Frank T. Elson, a lodging house keeper in Los Angeles, Cal., shot his wife and instantly killed her and then blew his head off. They came from Cskaloosa, Ia.

Prof. J. H. Freeman resigned as superintendent for the blind at Jacksonville, Ill.

Taking of testimony closed in the trial of Mayor Schmitz, of San Francisco, after Abe Ruef swore he gave the mayor half the money paid him by the French restaurant keepers.

Four hundred members of the American Association of Nurserymen convened at Detroit, President Orlando Harrison presiding.

Los Angeles Japanese, who threatened to bring mandamus proceedings against the county clerk to get the right to vote, have abandoned the attempt to become citizens.

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The fact that the cottage was once owned by Gen. Grant was brought to light by a recent article in a St. Louis paper stating that a patriotic wave of reverence for the name of Grant had started in St. Louis and was being fanned by the Grant Cabin association, which plans to restore Grant's log cabin on the fair grounds to its original site on the Grant farm in St. Louis county, near Fenton.

Enforcement of the Missouri law imposing a 25 cent tax on each transaction in grain futures was enjoined by United States District Judge McPherson.

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WAR HEROES HONORED

MONUMENTS ERECTED TO NOTED SOLDIERS AND SEAMEN.

Statue to Gen. Lawton, Who Fell in the Philippines, Unveiled at Indianapolis by President Roosevelt.

Indianapolis, Ind.—That patriotism in this country is not at a low ebb is indicated by the number of memorials to heroes and statesmen recently erected. There is a close connection between patriotism and art. One is especially reminded of this in the study of ancient countries, and it is becoming more and more true of America. The fact has been emphasized within a short time by the unveiling of a statue of Commodore John Barry in Philadelphia and the completion by Karl Bitter of a statue of Gen. Franz Sigel for a site on Riverside Drive. Further emphasis was added with the unveiling on May 30 at Indianapolis of a statue of Gen. Henry W. Lawton, at which the president made an important address.

Gen. Lawton was a soldier of the civil war, saw service in the Spanish-American war, and was killed while fighting in the Philippines. The republic has many memorials of soldiers of the revolution and the civil war, but as yet few erected in honor of heroes of battle for the flag in the faraway islands of the east. Special interest attaches to the memorial unveiled at Indianapolis for this reason.

Gen. Lawton, who was born at Manhattan, O., in 1843, began his military career as an enlisted man in a volunteer regiment in 1861 and held the rank of major general of volunteers when his life was ended by a Filipino bullet on December 19, 1899. His commission as a brigadier general in the regular service was being prepared when he was shot. When war with Spain broke out he was in demand in the field, for he had enjoyed not only a civil war experience, but a career as an Indian fighter on the plains of the west. One of the famous episodes of his career was his pursuit and capture of Geronimo. He was in command of the second division of the fifth army corps before Santiago, and on the conclusion of peace was transferred to the Philippines.

He captured Santa Cruz, a Filipino stronghold, April 10, 1899, and San Isidro on May 15, and on June 1 was placed in command at Manila. He had begun an offensive campaign looking toward the capture of Aguinaldo when he was killed while directing an attack upon the insurgents in an engagement near San Mateo, about 15 miles from Manila. A monument was erected by American soldiers at the spot where he fell. This memorial is in the shape of a pyramid 15 feet

high. On the top an old Spanish canon is mounted, surrounded by four modern shells. The brave commander was greatly beloved by the soldiers who fought with him in Cuba and the Philippines, and his character was most highly esteemed by President Roosevelt, his comrade in Cuba, a fact that led the latter to accept the invitation to make the principal address at the unveiling ceremonies at Indianapolis.

The equestrian statue of Gen. Franz Sigel has engaged the best ef-

forts of Mr. Bitter since he received the commission for the work about three years ago. The unveiling ceremonies will occur in October next. The site for the memorial is Riverside Drive, and it will be one more important adornment for a locality that has already come to be known as the Acropolis of New York.

The Barry statue was presented to the city of Philadelphia by the Society of Friendly Sons of St. Patrick, of which the naval hero was a member. It is of bronze and of heroic size and stands in front of Independence Hall, where it was unveiled on March 16 by a great-great-grandniece of Barry, 12-year-old Miss Elsie Hazel Hepburn. Barry is often called "the Father of the American Navy," and his right to the title was defended by Rear-Admiral George W. Melville, retired, in an address which was the leading feature of the unveiling ceremonies. Barry was born in Ireland in 1745 and came to the colonies when 15 years old. He commanded the first ship that flew the continental flag and captured the first vessel taken by an American warship.

The little structure has a ground floor containing four small rooms. An attic room is reached by a narrow flight of rickety wooden stairs. The house was occupied by Mrs. Hollweg and her husband for many years after they acquired it in 1865, for \$3,025 from the late Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. White.

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HEARTS AND MASKS

By HAROLD MacGRATH

Author of "The Man on the Box," etc.

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CHAPTER VIII.—Continued.

She slipped it mechanically over her finger.

"But you, my dear Mr. Comstalk!" he cried, turning his shining eyes upon me, while his fingers deftly replaced the gems in the bag.

"I have no jewelry," I replied, tossing aside the cigarette.

"But you have something infinitely better. I am rather observant. In Friard's curio-shop you carelessly exhibited a wallet that was simply choking to death with long yellow-boys. You have it still. Will you do me the honor?"—stretching out his slim white hand.

I looked at William; he nodded. There wasn't the slightest chance for me to argue. So I drew out my wallet. I extracted the gold-bills and made a neat little packet of them. It hurt, hurt like the deuce, to part with them. But—!

"Game, William, isn't he? Most men would have flung the wallet at my head."

"Oh, he is game, sir; never you doubt it, sir," said the amiable William.

"I have some silver in change," I suggested with some bitterness.

"Far be it that I should touch silver," he said generously, did this rogue. "Besides, you will need some thing to pay for this little supper and the fare back to New York." My bills disappeared into his pocket. "You will observe that I trust you implicitly. I haven't even counted the money."

William sniggered.

"And is there anything further?" I inquired. The comedy was beginning to weary me, it was so one-sided.

"I am in no particular hurry," the rogue answered, his sardonis smile returning. "It is so long since I have chatted with people of my kind."

I scowled.

"Pardon me, I meant from a social point of view only. I admit we would not be equals in the eye of the Presbyter."

And then followed a scene that reminds me to this day of some broken, fantastic dream, a fragment from some bewildering nightmare.

CHAPTER IX.

For suddenly I saw his eyes widen and flash with anger and apprehension. Quick as a passing sun-shadow, his hand swept the candelabrum from the table. He made a swift backward spring toward the door, but he was a little too late. The darkness he had created was not intense enough, for there was still the ruddy glow from the logs; and the bosom of his dress-shirt made a fine target. Besides, the eyes that had peered into the window were accustomed to the night.

Bang! The glass of the window shivered and jingled to the floor, and a sharp report followed. The rogue cried out in fierce anguish, and reeled against the wall. William whipped out his revolver, but, even from his favorable angle, he was not quick enough. The hand that had directed the first bullet was ready to direct the second.

All this took place within the count of ten. The girl and I sat stiffly in our chairs, as if petrified, it was all so swiftly accomplished.

"Drop it!" said a cold, authoritative voice, and I saw the vague outlines of Haggerty's face beyond the broken window-pane.

William knew better than to hesitate. His revolver struck the floor dully, and a curse rolled from his lips. Immediately a heavy body precipitated itself against the door, which crashed inward, and an officer fearlessly entered, a revolver in each hand. This tableau, which lasted fully a minute, was finally disturbed by the entrance of Haggerty himself.

"Don't be alarmed, Miss," he said heartily; "it's all over. I'm sorry for the bullet, but it had to be done. The rascal has nothing more serious than a splintered bone. I am a dead shot. A fine night!"—triumphantly. "It's been a long chase, and I never was sure of the finish. You're the cleverest rogue it has been my good fortune to meet this many a day. I don't even know who you are yet. Well, we'll round that up in time."

Not till the candles again sputtered with light, and William was securely handcuffed and disarmed, did I recollect that I possessed the sense of motion. The smoke of powder drifted across the flickering candles, and there was a salty taste on my tongue.

"Horrible!" cried the girl, covering her eyes.

The master rogue and his valet were led out into the assembly-room, and we reluctantly followed. I saw it all now. When Haggerty called up central at the club, he ascertained

where the last call had been from, and, learning that it came from Hollywood Inn, he took his glance. The room was soon filled with servants and stable-hands, the pistol-shot having forced them from their beds. The wounded man was very pale. He sat with his uninjured hand tightly clasped above the ragged wound, and a little pool of blood slowly formed at his side on the floor. But his eyes shone brightly.

"A basin of water and some linen!" cried the girl to Moriarty. "And send all these people away."

"To yer rooms, every one of ye!" snapped Moriarty, sweeping his hands. "Tis no place for ye, be off!" He hurried the servants out of the room, and presently returned with a basin of water, some linen and balm.

We watched the girl as she bathed and bandaged the wounded arm; and once or twice the patient smiled. Haggerty looked on approvingly, and in William's eyes there beamed the gentle light of reverence. It was a picture to see this lovely creature playing the part of the good Samaritan, moving here and there in her exquisite gown. Ah, the tender mercy! I knew that, come what might, I had strangely found the right woman, the one woman.

"You're a good little woman," said the rogue, his face softening; "and a good woman is the finest thing God ever placed upon earth. Had I only found one!" He turned whimsically toward me. "Are you engaged to marry this little woman?"

"No."

"Surely you love her!"

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"Don't cry, girl; don't!" I whispered, taking her hand in mine. She made no effort to repulse me. "I am sorry. The rascal was a gallant beggar, and I for one shouldn't have been sorry to see him get away. There, there! You're the bravest, tenderest girl in all this world; and when I told him I loved you, God knows I meant it! It is one of those inexplicable things. You say I have known you only eight hours? I have known you always, only I had not met you. What are eight hours? What is convention, formality? We two have lived a lifetime in these eight hours. Can't you see that we have?"

"To shoot a human being!" she sobbed. Her head fell against my shoulder. I do not believe she was conscious of the fact. And I did not care a hang for the conductor.

I patted her hand encouragingly. "It had to be done. He was in a desperate predicament, and he would have shot Haggerty had the detective been careless in his turn; and he wouldn't have aimed to maim, either."

"What a horrible night! It will haunt me as long as I live!"

I said nothing; and we did not speak again till the first of the Blankshire lights flashed by us. By this time her sobs had ceased.

"I know I haven't done anything

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The prisoner shrugged.

"You've the making of a fine man in you," went on Haggerty generously. "What caused you to slip up?"

"That subject is taboo," replied the thief. "But I want to beg your pardon for underestimating your cunning."

"It was all due to a chance shot at the telephone."

"I kept you guessing."

"Merrily, too. My admiration is wholly yours, sir," returned Haggerty, picking up the telephone exchange-book. He rang and placed his lips to the transmitter, calling a number. "Hello! It this the chief of the Blankshire police? Yes? Well, this is Haggerty. That idea I hinted to you was a mighty good one. Prepare two strong cells and have a doctor on hand. What? Oh, you will find your horse and carriage at Moriarty's. Good-bye!"

My money was handed over to me. I returned it to my wallet, but without any particular enthusiasm.

"It's bad business, William," said I. "It's all in the game, sir"—with a look at Haggerty that expressed infinite hatred. "In our business we can't afford to be careless."

"Or to talk too much," supplemented his master, smiling. "Talk, my friend, rounds me up with a bullet in the arm, and a long sojourn behind stone walls. Never talk. Thank you, too, Mr. Comstalk, for the saving grace of humor. If it were possible, I should like to give Miss Hawthorne the pick of the jewels. This is a sor-did world."

"Ye'er car-r is coming!" shouted Moriarty, running to the window.

The girl and I passed out of Hollywood Inn, leaving Haggerty with his mysterious prisoners. I can't reason it out, even to this day, but I was genuinely sorry that Haggerty had arrived upon the scene. For one thing, he had spoiled the glamour of the adventure by tingeing it with blood. And on the way to the car I wondered what had been the rogue's past, what had turned him into this hardy, perilous path. He had spoken of a woman;

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RATS MAKE A TEETOTALER.

Final Experience for Man Who Swores Off Five Hundred Times.

Altoona, Pa.—"I have sworn off 500 times in the last 25 years, but this time it's for good," declared J. J. Malloy of Cresson, after being released from city prison. "They arrested me here for being drunk and put me in a cell where the beds were made of iron and where there were rats. I never saw such rats in all my life. They're as big as cats and they are as numerous as bees in a hive. Their boldness was startling. Why, one climbed up an iron rod and stole a sandwich while I was looking at it. No, sir; no more booze for me after last night. I've cut it out for good."

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DEFENDANT WAS A BIRD.

Malden Court Pronounces Death Penalty on a Captured Gamecock.

Boston.—An unusual defendant in a case before Judge Charles M. Bruce, in the Malden district court the other day was a valuable gamecock captured at the farm of Charles M. Walker in North Reading, on Sunday, May 5, when constables of that town and the state police interrupted a cock-fight. About 60 "sports" from various places had assembled to witness the fight. The court tried to determine the ownership of the rooster, and as this seemed to be impossible, Judge Bruce sentenced the bird to death. It has been in charge of a constable since its capture on May 5. At that time it was taken from Patrick Donovan, who claimed to have been offered half a dollar by some one to carry the bird away, when the police made their descent and the crowd scattered. After that Donovan was fined \$25 for being present at the game, and Walker, the owner of the farm where it took place was fined \$100 for being a party to the affair. He appealed.

THIRST ILLS GAIN IN TOPEKA.

Sale of Liquor as "Cure All" During May Breaks Record.

Topeka, Kas.—The frightful prevalence of "stomach trouble," "indigestion," "kidney disease," "colds," and "rheumatism," among the people of Topeka is told in the reports of sales of liquor made by the 25 druggists here. The total liquor sales for the month made on sworn affidavits is 21,323. All these people made affidavit that they were suffering from one or more of the diseases above enumerated before they were given the liquor.

These sales give no idea as to the amount of liquors sold. A sale may be a bottle or a case of beer. It may be a half pint or a gallon of whisky, just as the severity of "disease" may require. These sales of liquor are 50 per cent. more than ever before reported in single month. They tell the story of Topeka's dire calamity and of the epidemic of "sickness" which has taken hold of the people. One store reports nearly 100 sales of liquor each day which required the services of three extra clerks.

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Cordiano Arnold Severance, the government attorney who has unearthed such valuable evidence in the Harriman railroad deals that the department of justice has resolved to start criminal suits, is a young western attorney who had achieved an enviable reputation as a corporation lawyer when he enlisted with the government forces. Mr. Severance was born and raised in Minnesota and has held a number of offices, including that of state senator.

Mr. Severance's law business extends all over the country, from Massachusetts to California. He has been counsel for various railroads in the northwest, also for number of Chicago packers, for the United States Steel corporation, and numerous other business industries. He was employed by the interstate commerce commission in the recent investigation into the Harriman railways. In connection with latter proceeding he took testimony in New York, Chicago, Seattle, Portland, San Francisco, Los Angeles, and ably argued the matter in Washington, and his skillful handling of the last mentioned investigation was especially commended.

As a partner of United States Attorney Frank B. Kellogg, Mr. Severance was associated with him in all the important trust investigations in which that lawyer figured so successfully, notably the Western Paper trust and the workings of the Standard Oil company.

Mr. Severance is immune from the common disease of running for office. He delights in social intercourse and his genial disposition has won him a prominent place in leading clubs of Minnesota, Duluth, Chicago, New York and Brooklyn. Whether telling a humorous story or pursuing an octopus, Mr. Severance enters into the spirit of the thing with all the vim and enthusiasm that even strenuous President Roosevelt could ask.

SURGEON GENERAL RIXEY

Presley Marion Rixey, surgeon general of the United States navy, who attended the late Mrs. McKinley in Canton, O., has had official care of the health of the presidents of the United States for the past nine years. He accompanied President McKinley on his fatal trip to the Pan-American exposition and was with him when he died.

Dr. Rixey was one of the most skillful, experienced and widely traveled surgeons of the navy when William McKinley became president. He was made a White House physician and took charge of Mrs. McKinley, who had been in precarious health for years.

The engaging manners of the Virginian and the success which attended his care of Mrs. McKinley attracted the president to him. The two became fast friends. One of the last official acts of Mr. McKinley before he was struck down by the assassin's bullet, was to arrange for Dr. Rixey's promotion to the position of surgeon general of the navy.

One of President Roosevelt's first acts on taking office was to carry out the dead president's wish. Dr. Rixey was made surgeon general with the rank of rear admiral.

Many honors have come to Dr. Rixey in the course of his career, one of the most prized being a decoration from King Alfonso XIII, of Spain for his valuable services rendered to officers and men of the Santa Maria following an explosion on that vessel.

Rather tall and of courtly bearing, and possessing a wholesome geniality that never fails to make friends wherever he goes, Dr. Rixey is a general favorite in all circles of official Washington.



HAD NO OPPONENT

To run for office and be elected without opposition is an unusual thing in American politics. This rare distinction has befallen D. R. Anthony, Jr., who was nominated for congress by the Republicans of the First district of Kansas to fill the vacancy caused by the elevation of Congressman Curtis to the United States senate.

Mr. Anthony received a remarkable political endorsement in that he was unanimously nominated by his own party, and the Democrats of the district met and resolved to make no nomination against him.

The new congressman is editor of the Leavenworth Daily Times, and is a son of the late Col. D. R. Anthony, one of the pioneers and historical characters of Kansas' struggle to be a free state. He is also a nephew of the late Susan B. Anthony, and a brother-in-law of Capt. Koehler, the army officer who recently had a clash with Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood in the Philippines.

As showing the trend of politics in the western states, Mr. Anthony's platform calls for revision of unfair tariff schedules by the friends of the protective principle, stands for government control of the railroads as advocated by President Roosevelt, and declares for the curbing of criminal trusts and monopolies.

EASY GOING MONARCH

King Carlos of Portugal is the happiest, most easy-going and pleasure-loving ruler in Europe. The only cloud upon his horizon has been a parliament which persisted in trying to make laws and run the country. Life was not worth living, decided the jolly monarch, with such a pest always on hand, so he sent the lawmakers home and proclaimed that he would run the country alone for three years.

The private life of Portugal's monarch is rather interesting, because it is more like that of a private gentleman than the daily round of a sovereign. As he rises at five in the morning, he contrives to get all his work done before midday, then five days of the six he gives over the afternoon and evening to his one amusement—sport. He has explored every corner of his kingdom in his motor car, and a short time since, when driving through some out-of-the-way place, he had rather an amusing experience. Arriving at a small town, he found a crowd waiting, but no one recognized him. In fact, the chief point of interest at that moment was an old woman, who had had her basket of eggs upset by those who jostled her. The king, with his usual good nature, approached and asked what was the matter. "They say the king is coming through here, so these idiots are waiting to see him. One cannot even do one's daily labor, with this crowd watching for a fat, lazy fellow, who does no work and spends his time in eating."

The king laughed, presented her with a coin to pay for the eggs, and to "remember the fat, lazy fellow by," and a moment more the royal car had vanished in a whirr of dust before anyone knew it had arrived—save one dumbstruck peasant woman.



FAILED IN SMALL THINGS.

Congressman Evidently Was No Hero to His Wife.

There is a certain congressman who, whatever authority he may hold in the councils of state, is of comparatively minor importance in his own household. Indeed, it has been unkindly intimated that his wife is "the whole thing" in their establishment.

Representative and Mrs. Blank had been to Baltimore one afternoon. When they left the train at Washington, on their return, Mrs. Blank discovered that her umbrella, which had been intrusted to the care of her husband was missing.

"Where's my umbrella?" she demanded.

"I'm afraid I've forgotten it, my dear," meekly answered the congressman. "It must still be in the train."

"In the train!" snorted the lady. "And to think that the affairs of the nation are intrusted to a man who doesn't know enough to take care of a woman's umbrella!"—Success Magazine.

PURIFIED LIFE INSURANCE.

Benefits from New Law, Which Remains Substantially Unchanged.

Through the influence of Gov. Hughes, the New York Legislature decided to make no radical changes in the new insurance law. It was pointed out by Gov. Hughes that the New York law has already accomplished widespread reforms, with proportionate benefits to policyholders, and that it should be given a thorough trial before any amendments were seriously considered.

It is estimated that the cost of the mismanagement of the past did not average more than 20 cents to each policyholder, while the benefits to present and future policyholders will amount to many times more and be cumulative besides. The speed craze of the big companies and the excessive cost of securing new business was the most extravagant evil of the old management. Under the new regime the cost of new business has already been greatly reduced, along with other economies.

The showing made by the Equitable Life Assurance Society in its report for 1906 was a strong argument against meddling with the new law. In the Equitable alone there was a saving of over \$2,000,000 in expenses, besides an increase in the income from the Society's assets amounting to as much more. The ratios of the Equitable's total expenses to its total income was 19.42% in 1904, 17.33% in 1905, and only 14.48% in 1906. The dividends paid to Equitable policyholders in 1906 amounted to \$7,289,724, which was an increase of more than 9% over 1905.

While the Equitable made a better showing than any other big company, all reported radical economies and under such conditions the Legislature wisely decided to leave the law substantially as it stands.

Forgetting Something.

When the train that conveyed President Roosevelt through Virginia on his last trip south stopped at Charlottesville, a negro approached the president's car and passed aboard a big basketful of fine fruit, to which was attached the card of a prominent grower.

In course of time the orchardist received a letter of acknowledgment from the White House expressing the president's appreciation of the gift, and complimenting the donor upon his fruit. The recipient of the letter was, of course, greatly pleased, and, feeling sure that his head gardener would be much interested in the letter, he read it to him. The darky who served in the capacity mentioned listened gravely, but his only comment was:

"He doan' say nothin' 'bout sendin' back de basket, do he?"—Success Magazine.

Text Somewhat Apropos.

The Rev. J. B. Hammill, the eloquent preacher of the Hanson Place Methodist Episcopal church, Brooklyn, was preaching at Sayville, L. I., from the text "Look well to your foundations." After repeating the text he leaned heavily on the pulpit desk, which gave way and plunged over the altar rail, nearly hitting the laymen in the front seat and scattering the Bible and the preacher's notes among the holders of the pews. The aged preacher barely escaped a tumble over the altar with the heavy desk.

WENT TO TEA

And it Wound Her Bobbin.

Tea drinking frequently affects people as badly as coffee. A lady in Baltimore, Md., says that she was compelled to abandon the use of coffee a good many years ago, because it threatened to ruin her health and that she went over to tea drinking, but finally, she had dyspepsia so bad that she had lost twenty-five pounds and no food seemed to agree with her.

She further says: "As this time I was induced to take up the famous food drink, Postum, and was so much pleased with the results that I have never been without it since. I commenced to improve at once, regained my twenty-five pounds of flesh and went some beyond my usual weight."

I know Postum to be good, pure, and healthful, and there never was an article, and never will be, I believe, that does so surely take the place of coffee, as Postum Food Coffee. The beauty of it all is that it is satisfying and wonderfully nourishing. I feel as if I could not sing its praises too loud." Read "The Road to Wellville," in "There's a Reason."

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FOR THE MERCHANT

LITTLE POINTS THAT HELP IN SELLING GOODS.

BE READY FOR OPPORTUNITY

Let the Public Know What You Have to Sell—Never Stop Pushing—

A Hint for the Clerks.

Pluck.

How often you hear one business man say of another who has been successful: "Ain't he lucky?" Luck has nothing to do with anyone's success. It is pluck.

Pluck and enthusiasm are the powers which make the winner. With these two qualities, which are invariably found together, a man will succeed.

Business men who have achieved greatness in their line are those who possess an abundance of enthusiasm.

A possession that is better than anything else to a man is that determination of character known as pluck, and an enthusiastic confidence that he will succeed.

To persevere against great odds, and to make a victorious fight in the face of almost impossibilities, it requires pluck which is not governed by impulse.

To cultivate pluck one must encourage steadfastness of purpose. When a thing is begun it should be finished.

The trouble with most of us is not so much that we have a hard row

to hoe but that we dislike hoeing.

Opportunity knocks once—and often a dozen times—at every door, but you have no kick against the fates if Opportunity knocks, finds you lost in a pipe dream and turns away never to return.

Bacon said: "The mold of a man's fortune is in his own hands."

All men cannot be captains of industry. All men cannot succeed phenomenally. All men, it seems, cannot succeed even moderately, but all men can make an effort to succeed.

We must not stop striving to reach

a higher and better place until we are

willing to sink to the bottom. If we

simply expect to float and not try to

swim we might just as well quit.

It would be well for us to keep as

a motto before us: "Perseverance and

pluck conquer all things," for it bears

close relationship to the subject

chosen. If we regarded the little op-

portunities in life more seriously and

made the most use of them we would

be better able to master the golden op-

portunities.

Let It Be Known.

You may know that you have the best assorted stock in town, but the public will not know it unless you tell them about it; they are not clairvoyants.

First use the newspapers liberally, then circulars, personal letters, talk to them when you can catch them in your store, at their homes—anywhere. The first and last thing to bear in mind about advertising is that it is as wide as human nature in its appeal.

Advertising is the mighty engine of success, and without it the business world would be minus its dynamo of energy.

Push All the Time.

If it pays to push when business is good, it pays to push when business is bad.

If it pays to push when business is bad, it pays to push when business is good.

If it pays to push at all, it pays to

push all the time.

Therefore, don't let it die.

When everything is coming your way, push to make it come the faster.

When everything is going the other way, push to